Weather

Fine and cold. The maximum temperature yesterday was 52.3 and the minimum 38.7, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 62.6 and 38.1.

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The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, Str. Nanking, 2.30 p.m. today.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Kamo Maru, Jan. 12.
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AMERICANS TO FINANCE 2 BIG CHINA COMPANIES

$14,000,000 Gold Capitalisation Announced

TEXTILES, FILMS

Former Premier Chow Tse-chi Promoter

Exclusive Dispatch to THE CHINA PRESS

New York, Jan. 8.—The formation of two great development companies for China was announced here last night by ex-premier Chow Tse-chi, at a dinner given in his honor, by the China Society and a group of American business men. Mr. Chow stated that the Universal Textile Company, capitalised at G.$9,000,000 and the Dragon Film Corporation G.$5,000,000 had been organised and incorporated in the State of Delaware.

Associated with Mr. Chow in the enterprise is a large group of American financiers headed by Alexander J. Drexel Biddle Jr., of Philadelphia, and F. P. Graves, former United States Alien Property Custodian.

The object of the companies is to engage in different branches of trade as well as to educate the Chinese through the medium of the cinema in the most modern methods of manufacture and enterprise.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Jan. 8.—It was learned here from New York dispatches that Mr. Chow Tse-chi has consented to act as head of the Universal Textile Company which will manufacture silk and cotton piece goods in Shanghai. A third company had been suggested which will produce and assemble motorcars, and various kinds of China and glass ware. It is stated that all the factories will be under strict supervision by Americans employing Chinese labor.

The Dragon Film company, which is essentially educational in its scope, will be headed by Mr. Frank Chamberlin, and will engage in the distribution of industrial cinema films showing the business, political and industrial side of American life. These pictures will be released and exhibited not only to all the motion picture houses throughout China but in addition will be shown in various government schools and smaller cities and towns to acquaint the population regarding the manners and customs of Americans.

Mr. A. J. Thomas, well known in Shanghai as the former head of the British American Tobacco Company, and a director in the Chinese American Bank, will assist Mr. Chow Tse-chi in the organisation of these enterprises, as will also Dr. C. T. Wang and Mr. Chang Chen.

Seek Solution Of Jewel Mystery In N. Y. Cemetery

Exclusive Dispatch to THE CHINA PRESS

New York, Jan. 8.—William B. Williams, Special Agent of the Department of Justice today admitted to newspapermen that his office was "working on a jewel case."

The admission followed published reports here that Federal secret service operatives had located the grave of an American seaman in a Brooklyn cemetery in which Russian crown jewels, valued at thousands of dollars, are buried. The jewels are said to have been smuggled into the United States in 1920 and buried in the seaman's coffin by plotters who have since been unable to find the right grave.

Bishop Hay Sails For United States

Bishop Samuel Ross Hay, Methodist Episcopal (South) Bishop for North China, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Miss Margaret Hay, sailed on the President Taft yesterday en route to Houston, Texas.

During their stay in Shanghai Bishop Hay and family have been the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Parker.

Smiles from the Mixed Court

BY J. L. BUTTS

"When did you start working for the undertaker?" inquired Kau Yi-laing of Tsha Men-sung.

"Whaddaya mean working for the undertaker?" retorted Tsha.

"Don't you think it's kind of unhealthy to be prowling around on rooftops in stocking feet these chill mornings?" pursued Kau.

"Undoubtedly," assented Tsha, "but what's that got to do with me? I'm not conducting any tours over the tiles."

"Didn't I just see you promenading along the ridge-pole?" asked Kau.

"You didn't!" said Tsha over his shoulder as he dashed for the stairs leading to the top floor of his dwelling in Woochang Road.

Sticking his head through the trapdoor, he saw an unoccupied pair of shoes on the roof. Letting himself down, he ducked into the front room. Here he came upon Tsu Kyi-sung, who was busily tying up three cotton jackets, one silk jacket, one black cloth gown and a pair of zinc candlesticks—all the property of Tsha—in a large handkerchief. Tsha embraced the stranger like a long-lost brother and yelled for a policeman.

In the Mixed Court Tsu wore the patient look of a man who always expects to be misunderstood. He had not entered Tsha's house to steal anything, he explained disinterestedly. He had only selected it as a temporary haven of refuge. There had been some trouble about a land transaction and the other parties to the deal had him on the run. Tsha's roof looked like the very thing to throw off pursuit. But it had proved cold on the roof and so he went inside.

All of which was quite satisfactory as far as it went, but didn't clear up the incident of the handkerchief and the juggling with the Tsha wardrobe and candlesticks. In consideration of which discrepancy Tsha goes to jail for one month.

REVISED VERSION

Just why Sing Yoong-shing selected a police station as a market for popular fiction nobody on the force has been able to figure out, but all agree that it was a poor move on Sing's part. This genius happened in along about 11:30 a.m. and poured a tragic tale of assault and robbery into the Sergeant's sympathetic ear. It seemed that Sing had been held up and deprived of his watch, value $4.50.

When had this dastardly outrage occurred, the Sergeant inquired.

Sing allowed that it had been about 9 o'clock. The Sergeant made a rapid calculation and figured that the highwayman might be about half-way to Soochow by this time.

"Why didn't you report it before?" he asked.

Sing said he could not. He had been set upon and beaten till he could not wiggle, let alone carry a report as far as the police station. The policeman looked him over and could not see any marks on the weeping victim. He made a more minute examination and, beyond a few pimples, found that Sing didn't have a blemish or an abrasion on him. Then he started questioning.

In about 15 minutes Sing had revised his yarn to the effect that he had been carrying about $120 worth of opium around concealed in his boot and that somebody had taken it away from him. The sequel was that Sing has gone into storage for two months.

Ten Lose Lives In Steamer Wreck

Exclusive dispatch to THE CHINA PRESS

Vancouver, Jan. 8.—The steamship Alaska, engaged in the coastal trade on the North Pacific, is reported to have been wrecked off Vancouver Island on Tuesday and the crew of ten lost.

American Association In Annual Meeting Today; Officers To Be Elected

Meeting To Discuss Extraterritoriality, The Washington Conference Reactions And Urge New U. S. Consulate Buildings

Coincident with the holding of the annual meeting of the American Association of China this afternoon the Association last night issued their annual report for 1922 showing the activities of the organisation during the past year.

The meeting this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock will take place at the American Club. The main business of the meeting will be the present ation of the year's reports and the election of officers for the ensuing year, including a new president to succeed Mr. John S. Potter, Acting President.

In addition a number of important subjects will be discussed including a report on the present condition of American Consular buildings, Washington Conference matters, extraterritoriality, the abolition of the International Mixed Court, and other matters.

MEMBERSHIP LESS

The annual report of the Association shows that the membership has decreased slightly chiefly because of returns to the homeland and the meeting today is expected to take measures to gain new members.

The report also gives a summary of the survey of American news appearing in the Chinese press which, at the beginning of the year, was negligible, but which has been considerably improved. The report is not completely satisfactory, however, as the annual says that "it is evident that something should be done to correct the dearth of American news. The relations between China and America are constantly becoming closer and more involved. Not only should our press at home correct information on China and her affairs, but measures should be taken to give a more thorough distribution of correct American news in China; and this may very well apply to world events as well."

CIVILIAN RELIEF

The Association's report also records that they have raised $5,000 during the past year for the relief of destitute and stranded Americans in Shanghai. Contributions listed include $1,000 each from the American Association, the American Club, and Shanghai Race Club, and $500 from the Shanghai Amateur Baseball Club.

The Association has recently been examining the personnel statistics of the Chinese Maritime Customs and Chinese Post Office, according to the report, and the question of more adequate representation of Americans in the two services will probably be taken up in the near future.

On the question of American Consular buildings—which will be discussed at today's meeting—the Committee announces that it now has complete data on the condition of the several Consulates in China with statistics, photographs and other information, and that it will, in co-operation with the American Chamber of Commerce, urge upon Washington the necessity of substantial improvement.

The Association also announces that it has accepted the offer of Mr. Rodney Sharp of Wilmington, Delaware, a friend of Mr. T. F. Doremus, of a painting of George Washington by Mr. Stanley M. Arthurs. The painting will be full length with a Valley Forge background.

The report of Mr. H. B. Lane, honorary treasurer, shows that the Association's financial affairs are in healthy shape.

POLICE RESERVE REVIEWED BY COUNCIL HEAD

Mr. Simms Congratulates Civilian Constables; 115 Men Turn Out

Shanghai Municipal Police Reserves, numbering 115 strong, attached to the Louza, Siuza, and Hongkew Police stations, were inspected last night by Mr. H. G. Simms, Chairman of the Municipal council, at the Town Hall.

Following the formal review, Mr. Simms addressed the Reserves and complimented them upon their splendid morale and excellent appearance. He assured them that the Municipal Council is a "human" body and fully understands what their services mean to Shanghai.

Mr. Simms then gave unstinted praise for Mr. A. L. Anderson, who acted as assistant commissioner of Police in charge of the Reserves and who recently resigned. He also congratulated Sergeant Major W. Fairbairn and Inspector Young for excellent lectures and instruction and stated that the results attained were remarkable.

The head of the Council exhorted the Reserves to keep in trim at all times by constant duty tours and urged concord with the regular police, with whom they will act in case of emergency.

He expressed the appreciation the community felt for past services rendered by the civilian branch and congratulated the men on the spirit they showed when called upon for active duty.

ANOTHER BOMB IS FOUND IN POCKET OF RUSS REFUGEE

Two Plead Ignorance And Are Dismissed By Mixed Court

A fist-fight between two Russians caused another bomb—one of many brought to Shanghai by the recent influx of Russian refugees—to be discovered by police early Sunday morning.

The men, N. Kornandor and T. Chucklobun, were arrested during the wee sma' hours of Sunday morning charged with being drunk and disorderly in premises at 175 Market Street, and upon being searched a bomb, somewhat like a Mills bomb, about the size and shape of a lemon, was discovered.

The men were charged in the Mixed Court yesterday before British Assessor Mead and Magistrate Tsang, but were dismissed with a caution and the bomb confiscated.

The defendants declared they had not gone to 175 Market Street and created a disturbance when the landlord would not let them in, but that on the contrary they had been taken there by a runner whom they paid 20 cents. Twenty-four other Russians, also refugees from the portless ships at Woosung, accompanied them and they all paid 20 cents each for a bed, they said.

Inspector Mackintosh produced the bomb in court, explaining that he did not know whether it would explode upon being dropped or not as that variety of bomb had not been tested. Assessor Mead assured Inspector Mackintosh that no test need be made in the courtroom.

The defendants both claimed ignorance of the fact that it was considered a serious offense to carry bombs in Shanghai, being denizens of Russia, and were therefore dismissed after a lecture by the Court.

Sun's Forces Move Into Kwangtung

(China Press Service)

Foochow, Jan. 7.—The vanguard of Dr. Sun's forces in Fukien have begun their advance into Kwangtung. General Hsu Chung-chi, the Commander-in-Chief, will soon leave with the main body of his army.

Peking, Jan. 7.—The Cantonese residents in Peking have dispatched a telegram to Chen Chiung-ming, Commander-in-chief of the rebel Kwangtung troops, advising him to evacuate Canton in favor of Dr. Sun Yat-sen's forces, which are marching on the provincial Capital.

Chen is reminded of the futility of resistance which will only ruin Canton.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 8.—The forces invading Kwangtung are reported to have advanced as far as the vicinity of Hsuihing where fighting has begun.

Admiral Liu Kuan-hsiung has arrived in Amoy with authority to arrange peace among the warring factions in Fukien and has suggested three plans. He states that if none of them is accepted he will be compelled to adopt force.

Wilson's Health Restored

Ex-President Wilson.

THIS is the very latest photograph of ex-President Woodrow Wilson, taken while he was enjoying his afternoon automobile ride. The unusual snapshot was taken from another automobile. The former president's health apparently is fully restored.

BANQUE'S SUIT TO RECOVER ON SONN DEAL OPENS

U. S. Court Hears Arguments On Exchange Contract

The case brought by the Banque Industrielle de Chine against Sonn Brothers Inc. to recover Tls. 2,288.58 for nonfulfillment of an exchange contract alleged to have been executed by the Banque in March 1921 was heard before Judge C. S. Lobingier in the United States Court for China following the usual motion calendar yesterday afternoon.

Mr. H. D. Rodger, assisted by M. du Pac de Marsoulies, appeared for the plaintiffs and stated that on March 16, 1922, Sonn Brothers entered into an agreement to purchase G.$5,000 at 57½ or Tls. 8,658.01. Since Sonn Brothers was a responsible firm no action was taken until the following November when Mr. Harry Barr, who is in charge of the Banque's affairs, stated that an inquiry had been sent to Sonn Brothers regarding action on their committment. Although the letter was received by Thomas R. Scanlon, office manager for Sonn Brothers, no reply was sent to the Banque.

Matters drifted along until the following June when Mr. Barr, learning that Sonn Brothers would close their Shanghai office, again wrote for instructions. They were not forthcoming, so nine days later the account was closed out at prevailing rates, 78½, or Tls. 6,389.43 showing a loss of Tls. 2,288.58 which was the amount claimed in the action.

Mr. F. J. Schuhl, who appeared for Sonn Brothers, stated that the contract should have been closed out in December which was the time stipulated in the contract. He called Mr. Thomas R. Scanlon, who testified that no action had been taken on the matter because the Banque Industrielle had closed its doors. He admitted however not taking any action on Mr. Barr's requests for instructions regarding the disposition of the account.

If the transaction had been concluded in December when the prevailing rate was 72 the deficit would have been Tls. 1,713.57 instead of the larger amount. Mr. Barr replied that the reason the account was not closed out, was because Sonn Brothers were reported to be a reputable house and therefore no pressure was exerted at that time.

Judge Lobingier stated that he would receive written briefs on the case from Mr. Rodger, on January 18, and Mr. Schuhl on January 31.

Large Quantity Of Drug To Be Burnt At Pootung Today

Opium and other narcotic drugs confiscated by the Customs authorities here during the last two months will be destroyed by fire at the Pootung kilns beginning at 9 o'clock this morning. The drug weighs 17 piculs and 34 catties. The Chinese authorities will supervise the destruction.

BISHOP MOLONY TELLS OF FAMINE; URGES RELIEF

Typhoons Wrecked Crops In Chekiang And Many Are Starving

Declaring that 300,000 people in Chekiang Province are suffering from dire need of food and 300,000 more from distress caused by the terrible typhoons which swept the province last summer, Bishop H. J. Molony painted a vivid picture of the famine conditions in Chekiang at the meeting of the B.W.A. yesterday.

According to Bishop Molony, 120 Chinese in the south of the province have died up to date from starvation while thousands more will die unless additional relief is given.

Under the direction of Mr. Carey, Commissioner of Customs at Ningpo and Mr. Wang, a progressive Magistrate, well organised committees of Chinese and foreigners, including the business men and missionaries, are investigating conditions.

In the Chengshien district the high winds and water destroyed the rice crops. In the Chuki district, South of Hangchow floods were caused also by the typhoons.

MUST HAVE FUNDS

"Additional funds must be secured in order to save the lives of the starving," said Bishop Molony. "Any desiring to contribute can send donations to Mr. W. F. Souter, 20 Museum Road; to Mr. Carey, Commissioner of Customs at Ningpo or to myself and I will forward the same."

Bishop Molony made an interesting survey of Chekiang Province with which he is very familiar.

"The British Chamber of Commerce grants have greatly aided our educational program for the next five years and we hope to secure a portion of the Boxer Indemnity Fund for furthering the education of Chinese boys and girls," the bishop said. "Anyone wishing to contribute to school work can send the money to Mrs. Bailey, 89 Range Road."

Bishop Molony's talk was illustrated by maps and charts.

First Chinese Gets Flying Permit In U. S.

Mr. Harry Chinn, a Chinese student at the Curtis Aviation School at Mineola, N. Y., has just received his pilot's license, said to be the first awarded a Chinese in the United States. Mr. Chinn qualified as a full-fledged aviator capable of flying under all conditions and in all makes of 'planes.

GHANDI DISBARRED

(China Press Service)

London, Jan. 6.—A notice has been formally circulated among the Inns of Court that Monhandass Karamchand Gandhi, the Hindu Extremist leader, has been disbarred. Consequently he is no longer a member of the English Bar.

FRENCH ADVANCE INTO GERMANY NOT LIKELY BEFORE JANUARY 15TH

Paris Expected To Await Default Upon Next Reparations Payment Of Half Billion Gold Marks Before Acting

BERLIN SAYS SUM WILL NOT BE PAID

Reports Of Possible Break Between France, Italy And Belgium Denied, And Latter Will Assist In New Occupation

Exclusive Dispatch to THE CHINA PRESS

Paris, Jan. 8.—It was given out this evening from an official source that all talk of a rupture between France and Italy or Belgium is entirely unfounded. An announcement appeared this evening in Le Soir, published in Brussels, that two Belgian divisions would assist the French in the occupation of the Ruhr and Essen districts.

How soon the French troops will move forward to occupy additional German soil is a matter of doubt. It is believed that the troop movements will be delayed until after Jan. 15, when it is taken for granted that Germany will default on her reparations payment totalling half a billion gold marks.

In the interim it is hoped that President Harding will offer some plan to forestall independent action by the French.

Berlin, Jan. 8.—The German government admitted its inability to pay the half billion gold mark reparation installment falling due on January 15, stating that the government assumed the whole question of reparations was subject to revision following the payment of Belgian Treasury bonds.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 8.—A statement was issued from the White House this evening denying the rumor that the United States may call a reparations conference in the near future.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Jan. 8.—French newspapers announce that 40 mining and naval engineers have left Paris bound for Essen but they will first await instructions at Dusseldorf.

Various movements of troops are reported.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Jan. 7.—The possibility of America's entry into the European reparations problem has been measurably lessened by the Senate's vote proposing the withdrawal of the American troops on the Rhine. The official attitude towards the present situation is described as that of a sympathetic spectator, friendly to all parties in the crisis, with America's good offices and economic strength always available when the road is made clear for American help.

There is no indication as to whether President Harding will take action under Senator Reed's resolution in view of the fact that the withdrawal of the American troops is not made mandatory upon the President.

In the meantime, it is believed in some quarters that the agreement which may be reached with the British Mission regarding the funding of the British debt will have a far-reaching effect on the entire European economic position.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Jan. 6.—In the Senate today, Senator Reed (Democrat) introduced a resolution urging the return of the remaining detachments of the American occupation forces on the Rhine. A lengthy debate followed in which Senator Hitchcock (Democrat) supported and Senator Wadsworth (Republican) opposed the resolution.

Senator Lodge (Republican) while in favor of the withdrawal of the troops pointed out that it would be most unfortunate to do anything that could be construed as taking sides in the reparations controversy.

Senator New (Republican) moved an amendment disavowing unfriendliness towards any of the European nations who might be affected by the withdrawal.

The amended resolution was eventually adopted.

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Jan. 6.—It is authoritatively stated that reports published abroad to the effect that the United States has decided to withdraw the American troops from the Rhine is without foundation.

The Senate adopted Senator Reed's resolution by 57 votes to 6 after rejecting by 39 votes to 32 a motion in favor of referring the resolution to the Foreign Relations Committee.

JUDGE LOBINGIER HEARS SWINEHART ALIMONY CASE

U. S. Court Takes Latest Episode Under Advisement

Several dramatic scenes marked the conclusion of the Swinehart vs. Swinehart case in the U. S. Court for China yesterday morning, when Mrs. Dudley Swinehart, who is suing her husband for $250 monthly maintenance and Tls. 500 for laywers fees, broke down and wept, declaring that Mr. Faison was seeking to destroy her reputation.

Mr. P. S. Faison, in cross examination produced a letter written by Mrs. Swinehart to a Mr. Frank Bayer in America in which she told of her unhappiness, stating that a rupture in her marital relations was imminent because her husband was using her name like mud, and that frequently he seemed possessed of a devil, but that he had deposited his money in her name. Mrs. Swinehart denied the last statement saying that it was merely a slip of the pen. The letter concludes with the statement that she could no longer respect her husband.

When questioned regarding her loss of respect for her husband she replied that on frequent occasions Mr. Swinehart had been unfaithful to her.

STORY RETOLD

The story of the separation of the couple was again recalled, how it was impossible for her to live in the room in the Ben building because her husband was continually drunk and that therefore she had gone to the Kalee hotel. She emphatically denied that Mr. Percy R. Moore came to her in the Ben building and assisted her in packing up.

Mr. Dudley Swinehart stated that he is at present employed by Mr. J. H. Black, anarchitect, and receives a salary of Tls. 300 a month. He stated that he had no outside resources of any kind or description.

Regarding his wife's diamond ring Mr. Swinehart stated that he had never taken it. He believed that it was in Mr. Moore's possession since he had taken everything else. Mr. Schuhl questioned him regarding his being seen frequently with a young Chinese lady at the Victoria and Isis Theaters. Mr. Swinehart replied that his companion was a friend, "and might have been taken to the theater by yourself."

Judge Lobingier instructed the lawyers to agree on the portions of the record that they wanted passed upon in order to facilitate his work. He then took the case under advisement.

U. S. Business Men To Consult Allies

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Jan. 6.—The American Chamber of Commerce is reconsidering the German Commercial men's request for a business commission to investigate Germany's ability to pay. It is understood that the officers of the Chamber propose to sound Allied businessmen in that connection, possibly with a view to action prior

to the meeting of the International Chamber of Commerce at Rome on March 18 at which reparations will be discussed.

British Puzzled, Await Next Move

(Reuter's Service)

London, Jan. 7.—The weekend following the failure of the Paris Conference finds the British Government in a dilemma, awaiting French action, Paris hesitant, the Germans perplexed and hoping for some form of American intervention and the United States intensely interested and sympathetic toward France but apprehensive of the economic and financial consequences for France and not yet advanced beyond a stage of cautious inquiry. Nevertheless in all four countries there is a persistent hope that a solution of the crisis may still be found.

The French press is friendly to Britain owing to Mr. Bonar Law's sincerity and candour, which enabled the French to realise the British standpoint. The British press is manifestly anxious not to say anything to exasperate or hamper France.

The failure of the Conference has cleared the atmosphere and in the event of the French plans being less fruitful than the French anticipate it is felt that the Allies may again co-operate with a view to saving the peace treaties and averting anarchy in Europe with greater prospects of success than up to the present.

Marshal Foch's plan is to send 45,000 troops to the Ruhr and draw a Customs cordon round the Ruhr and the Rhineland, distraining on mines and forests and exports and imports, believing that Germany would shortly ask for mercy.

According to the Observer, France's ultimate object is a huge Franco-German economic combination under French supremacy. Herr Hugo Stinnes and other German industrialists suggested this scheme, believing it to be the shortest way to restore German supremacy, but the sullen resistance of the German people may result in the collapse of Germany in the Spring, rendering intervention by the United States inevitable.

There are influences in France working against precipitate action. The Radical, Labor and Socialist parties are organising meetings to protest against a provocative policy.

The danger of the situation is the French sensitiveness with regard to France's national dignity. Le Journal says: "The whole world is awaiting the French forward move. What a roar of laughter there will be if the move is only a hesitating gesture."

Commenting on the obstreperous attitude of the Turks at Lausanne, which it considers evidence of a French attempt to isolate Britain in the Near East, the Observer says that if France presists in this policy Britain will be free to make her own settlements with Russia and Turkey.

A pessimistic view of the situation in Europe is taken in Signor Nitti's latest book, The Decadence of Europe, in which the author contends that the Treaty of Versailles is the chief cause of Europe's troubles and severely criticises the French policy of extreme nationalism, which he says is ruining Europe, which is becoming a larger Balkans, with 73 States, all impoverished, as compared with 57 in 1914.

The book in conclusion declares that the United States will be bound eventually to intervene.

Laconia Party To Come By Rail And Boat January 15

Mr. R. S. Cauvin, of the American Express Company, returned to Shanghai on Sunday on the President Madison from Japan, where he greeted the American Express tour party of 440 prominent Americans on board the specially chartered Cunard liner Laconia.

Mr. Cauvin reports that the Laconia party have been enjoying their visit in Japan immensely. They will come to Shanghai in three parties, two parties coming by rail from Peking after touring Korea and Northern China, and one party coming aboard the vessel arriving January 13.

In Shanghai the party will make an auto tour of foreign Settlements and visit the Chinese city, stopping only one day on their way South.

CAN REDUCE DEFICIT

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Jan. 7.—According to a complementary report by M Bokanowski to the Finance Committee of the Chamber of Deputies, the Budget deficit can be reduced from 3,900,000,000 to 3,487,000,000 francs.

Chamberlain's Tablets.

These Tablets are intended especially for disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels. If you are troubled with heartburn, indigestion or constipation they will do you good.

Sold Everywhere

RUSSIAN REFUGEES PLAY 'ON AGIN, OFF AGIN, FINNEGAN'

Whether Portless Fleet Has Sailed Or Not Nobody Knows

The portless fleet of Russian refugees which for three weeks has been anchored off Woosung, not content with enacting a modern version of 'The Flying Dutchman' are now the central figures in an oceanic rendition of 'On Agin, Off Agin, Finnegan.'

No one knows whether the portless fleet is at Woosung, or painting a trail across the high seas for some other unnamed, unknown port, which, when it learns it has been favored by the fleet, will be no less pleased than was Shanghai.

The fleet has been "scheduled" to sail fifty-seven, more or less, times. On Saturday it was authentically given out that before the sun rose on another day the fifteen propellors on the fifteen ships would be churning fifteen lanes through the green sea waters—somewhere. But they didn't sail.

At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon when the gawky passengers on the tender coming back from the President Taft passed the anchorage the floating tenements of Russians were still tossing about on the tide with their anchors fast in the mud.

At 3 o'clock Mr. V. Grosse, Commissioner for Russian Affairs, deposed that he had heard from the fleet and that they were still awaiting Admiral Stark's "full speed—somewhere."

Last night a reporter for THE CHINA PRESS, egged on by a relentless Editor telephoned about wildly in an effort to discover whether the fleet had sailed away or still absorbing the fragrant breezes of Woosung.

As a last resort he called the Harbor Master's office—at 11:15 p.m.—and after ringing merrily for a few moments got an answer.

Whoever came to the phone had evidently been awakened by the rude telephone operator's ringing. The reporter got an answer—but it didn't have any connection with the Russian fleet!

R.V.F. SHIP WILL BE SOLD TO PAY COURT JUDGMENT

Elleder, Fleet's Agent Here, Is Released From Jail

An order was issued allowing the sale of one of the vessels of the Russian Volunteer Fleet by the International Mixed Court in order to pay a judgment secured by Patstone and Patstone against the Fleet for services rendered yesterday after the Court had refused to grant an application made by Dr. O. Fisher for a rehearing of the case.

Dr. Fischer made his application on the grounds that new and revalent evidence had just arrived in Shanghai on the s.s. Lorestan from Vladivostok on Sunday.

Dr. Fischer at the same time asked for the release of his client, Mr. Elleder, agent for the fleet, who has been confined in the Ward Road jail pending a settlement of the civil action. After granting the order for the sale of one of the vessels to satisfy the judgment the Court ordered Mr. Elleder released.

As an outgrowth of the Volunteer fleet case Dr. Fischer has threatened to file a formal protest with the Consular Body because of the re-arrest of Mr. Elleder. He was arrested once before and confined in jail in connection with the same civil action.

British Court In Tientsin Jan. 16

Sir Skinner Turner, Chief Judge of the British Supreme Court, will go to Tientsin next week to hold a session of the Court at which Mr. Stephen Power will be tried. Mr. Power, formerly agent for the Sun Life Insurance Company, was arrested in Canada on charges of embezzlement from the insurance company and was held for trial at this hearing before the Consular Court.

PREMIER CALLS REUNIFICATION FIRST PROBLEM

General Chang Outlines His Plans At Big Reception

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 8.—Five hundred and three members attended General Chang Shou-tseng's reception yesterday afternoon at which several Cabinet Ministers were also present.

General Chang in the course of his speech expressed appreciation at Parliament's approval of his Premiership not only on his own account but also as it was essential that a Cabinet should be formed as soon as possible. He trusted Parliament would show the same consideration for his colleagues thus enabling the Cabinet to function at an early date. Reunification was one of the most important questions with which the Cabinet would have to deal. As it must be based on the Constitution he trusted Parliament would complete the Constitution as quickly as possible. General Chang Shou-tseng then introduced the Cabinet Ministers.

Dr. Alfred Sze, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, said that he was selected as head of the Chinese Delegation to Washington as it seemed probable that renewal or otherwise of the Anglo-Japanese Alliance would depend upon the Washington discussion. He returned much out of touch with local affairs and he trusted Parliament would give him advice where needed. He thought that it was most necessary for China to maintain the position recently gained among the nations. Dr. Sze said that that rested in the hands of China herself but he would do his best in that connection.

Mr. Kao Ling-wei, the Minister of the Interior, merely welcomed the members of Parliament.

Mr. Li Ken-yuan, the Minister of Commerce, promised earnestly to encourage development of industries and thus improve the conditions of the masses.

Responding on behalf of Parliament, Mr. Ma Hsing said that he hoped General Chang Shou-tseng would soon complete his Cabinet and that the latter would render valuable services to the country.

The reception terminated with the drinking of the toast: "Our Country." The reception was cordial throughout. The Cabinet Ministers were gratified at the attitude of the Members of Parliament.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 8.—Dr. Alfred Sze, interviewed with reference to the Foreign Affairs portfolio, said that his original intention in returning to China was to acquaint himself with the recent conditions here and then return to Washington. However, the Premier repeatedly invited him to accept the Foreign Ministry. After consulting his friends who assured him of their wholehearted support he consented mainly influenced by a desire to maintain the international position China gained recently and particularly to bring the results of the Washington Conference to complete realisation.

MEETING TODAY

The Home Economics Department of the American Woman's Club will meet today at 4 o'clock at the old Carlton Cafe when Mrs. Ely will speak on "Methods of Developing the Appreciation of Western Art in Children." The program committee of the department will pour tea at 4 o'clock.

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Filipino Lawyer Admitted To Bar

Mr. Sofronio V. Abrera, a Filipino, was admitted to practise before the United States Court for China yesterday afternoon by Judge C. S. Lobingier. Mr. Abrera was introduced by Mr. W. W. Blume of the Comparative Law School who stated that Mr. Abrera completed his law studies in the National University of the Philippines with high honors, and passed a special examination here. Judge Lobingier after administering the oath, congratulated him upon his scholastic attainments and welcomed him cordially.

Two Russians Here Walking Round World

Two Russians, Korobkoff and Johannsen, of Harbin, have just arrived in Shanghai on their first lap of what is intended to be a walking jaunt around the globe. They left Harbin on October 16, obtaining the seal and signature of officials in every city and village en route as proof of their walking ability.

They will leave Shanghai for Hongkong within a few days and then continue on around the world, returning to Harbin via America, Alaska and Siberia. By the time they return they expect Russia to be governed by some stable government.

Italian Opera Company Again Scores In Tosca

The delightful opera in three acts, Lucia Di Lammermoor, will be given by the Italian opera Company tonight. The leading roles will be taken as follows:

Henry Ashton—of Lammermoor .. Sig. Scamuzzi
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Lord Arthur Bucklaw Sig. Giorgila
Alice—(Companion to Lucy) .... Mlle. Polastri
Norman—(Captain of the Guard at Ravenswood) .... Sig. Paterna.

BY GERALD ZALSMAN

It is not hard to imagine the difficulties met by Mr. Carpi and the company of artists he has brought to Shanghai, to produce ten operas in as many nights. And considering the circumstances who can but highly appreciate the offerings at the Olympic this week and who can but enjoy the real enthusiasm of the unusually large audiences who can hardly suppress their applause until the last note of the Canonetta has been sung.

In "Rigoletto" the work of the conductor, Signor Castagnino, comes in for high praise. He had the whole in hand wonderfully and worked miracles with the small orchestra at his command.

Scamuzzi was an excellent Rigoletto and used his powerful voice with great dramatic expression. Miss Delza has a clear soprano voice but seemed not fully disposed and at times her intonation was a little sharp. Cappelli has a flexible tenor voice which he uses with the greatest of ease. Signor Mauceri has a beautiful bass and Miss Vornos was a good Maddelena.

So much for "Rigoletto."

Last night we enjoyed "Tosca" and it was even better than "Rigoletto." Hundreds were turned away after every seat had been sold and many insisted on standing. The production was very good.

Impalogeni as Tosca, Giorgi as Cavaradossi and Scamuzzi as Scarpia were really excellent and the smaller parts were very well done.

The choruses at the end of the first act and in the second act were also very fine.

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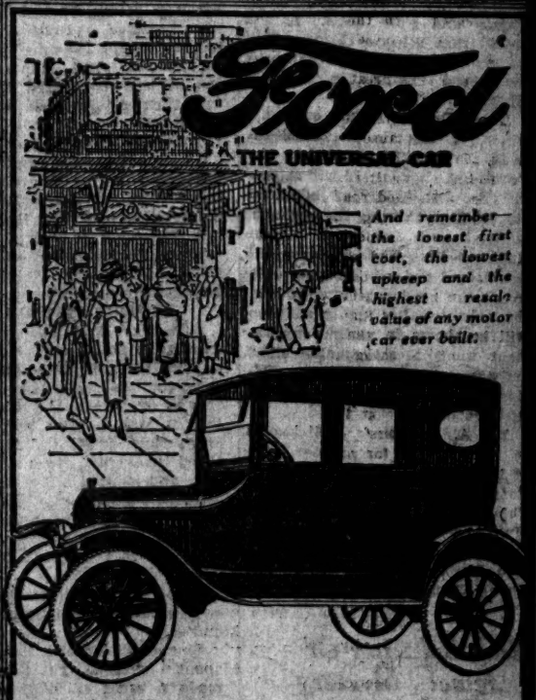

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China In 1922

HUNAN

In comparing conditions in this section of the country with those of a year ago, one can be quite certain that the present outlook is by far the better. Only a year ago the province was facing famine, while this year there has been a good harvest. It is commonly said that Hunan can feed her own people on a 45 percent crop of rice, so with a good crop just harvested there ought to be no difficulty for some time. It is feared however that too much rice will be exported, causing a shortage next summer. It is now being shipped out quite rapidly, and within the last few days it is reported that 12,000 piculs have gone from Siangtan toward Hankow. The rice merchants are desirous to ship all they possibly can to other ports, for the price down river is at present far better than they can obtain locally. By exporting a great quantity, the price locally will automatically raise, and if a shortage occurs, the profit is theirs. The government of the province also lends all the encouragement it can to the exporters, for the government receives $1.00 tax on each picul that is shipped out. Large exports will fill their coffers so that they can comfortably close the current year accounts.

Hunan's gravest danger seems to be at this point, and it is unfortunate that the government does not safeguard its citizens by raising its funds elsewhere, and insisting upon a surplus of rice being kept in the province to provide for all the people during the whole year. The famine of this past year, and the rice difficulties and reported famine of June, 1921, were difficulties largely caused by excessive exports, and rice profiteering. Hunan certainly did have a real famine in the early half of 1922, for thousands of people in the province were starving, and in great want. Yet a province which can feed its populace on a half crop, ought not to face a famine because of one year of poor crops. If the government had functioned in the interest of its citizens, rice would not have been exported so profusely in the winter of 1921, and a famine threatened in the summer of that year. Also a strong government could have adequately handled the situation without outside help during the famine time this year, by compelling merchants to sell their rice, by stabilising prices and transferring rice to needy districts.

Let it be said to the credit of those in power in Hunan, however, that they have done something during the famine period by working with the Hunan branch of the Chinese Foreign Famine Relief Committee. Some of them have done a great deal more than they wanted to do, and more than they themselves deemed necessary to do, because they were not allowed to do less. The Famine Relief Committee has constructed 180 li of good road on the direct route to Paoking. There is already 90 li of good road connecting Changsha and Siangtan, upon which motor cars have operated for some months. The famine road begins at Siangtan, and is an extension of the old one. The section reaching to Yuenfeng is now nearing completion. During the summer months when the famine was at its worst, about 8,000 laborers were employed. The money for road construction came from famine funds outside the province, but the Hunan government co-operated to the extent of purchasing the land for the road.

Politically, Hunan is unusually quiet. She is enjoying an unusually long calm after years of turmoil. During the past decade there has hardly been a year when she has not had war, and when large sections of the province were not overrun by an advancing or retreating army. But now there has been no fighting for sixteen months, and although an invasion was long expected from the Kwantung side, it was deflected into Kiangsi. During the summer months when that province was afflicted with the conflict between the north and south, Hunan looked on sympathetically at the spectacle she had feared for herself, conscious that her famine was probably a blessing after all, in that it was the scarcity of food in Hunan that turned the southern army toward rich Kiangsi.

Chao Heng-ti is still the "man on top" in Hunan. There is a rather large party of followers who have endeavored several times to reinstate their leader Tan Yen-kai at the head of Hunan affairs, but there seems to be no hope of their immediate success. For more than a year Chao Heng-ti refused to accept either the title of civil, or of military, governor, while at the same time he was performing the duties of both offices. Recently he accepted the title of civil governor, and being the Commander-in-Chief of all Hunan armies he does not lack in military power. His government seems fairly stable, and his strength seems to be in his policy of not committing himself to any particular policy or party. He stays "on the fence" well, and gains partial support from all parties.

The opium traffic is flourishing and is rapidly increasing. Opium sells for about half the price that it did a year ago, and the business is conducted more openly. A few weeks ago a company of soldiers were seen coming into Siangtan escorting forty bearers, each bearer carrying about 60 ching. The boxes were plainly labeled as opium, and with such an escort there was little danger of its being seized. This is reported to be a common occurence. The military authorities are making enormous profits in this traffic, and at present there is no way to check them. The soldiers can commandeer carriers, and can transport the opium very cheaply, often paying only for the food of the laborers. They can force their way past the likin stations without paying tax, and they are in little danger of being opposed in their business.

With the unstable government that Hunan has had during the past few years, and the unstable conditions caused by wars and rumors of wars, one wonders how merchants can carry on any sort of business at all. In spite of hardships the streets of Human cities show that she is a wealthy province, and business moves on in a very big way. Many foreign business firms which had contemplated coming into Hunan have hesitated to open up a business in the face of such uncertainty, and some other which had entered the province, have withdrawn. But the local Chinese firms have made large profits each year, and now that they have had more than a year of quiet, they are indeed flourishing. As the Chinese year is nearing its close, the merchants are quite encouraged, and all report a prosperous year.

All over the province students are clamoring for admittance into the Mission schools, and a large percent of the applicants are being turned away. Not long ago it was thought that this rush was largely caused by the closing of the government schools; but now that many of the government schools have reopened, they are all well filled, and there is still the large enrollment in Mission schools. Especially the enrollments in girls schools have greatly increased, so it seems that Hunan is experiencing a real educational awakening. During the past year the famine relief work hindered evangelistic work in some places, and particularly in this section of the country where the people were compelled to sell their land for the famine road, there was much ill feeling, which was sometimes anti-Christian and anti-foreign. Religious work was made difficult by such conditions, but most of these difficulties have been cleared up, and at present no large obstacles of that sort seem to confront the Church. The present religious outlook is quite hopeful.

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Italian Prince Goes To Canton

Prince Aimone, Duke of Spoleto, and a cousin of the King of Italy, who is now an officer on board the Italian gunboat Sebastino Caboto, is now in Canton with his ship. The Prince will remain in Canton waters until sometime in February, when he will return to Shanghai. During his month's visit here Prince Aimone has been the guest of honor at a number of social functions and several affairs are reported to have been arranged for him in Canton and Hongkong

Americans Replace Chinese Engineers

In accordance with the policy recently adopted by Mr. R. Stanley Dollar, president of the Admiral Oriental Line, Chinese employed in the engineer's department of the President Madison, now in port, have been replaced by Americans. Twenty-one Americans replaced the Chinese.

The Admiral Line also announced that no Chinese would be employed in the engine rooms of the freighters West Jester and City of Spokane, scheduled to come to the Orient from Seattle in the near future.

President Grant Sailing Saturday With U. S. Mails

The next fast mail for the States will be carried by the President Grant of the Admiral Oriental Line next Saturday, and mail matter for Honolulu will go on the Nanking today. Two Pacific liners are due here from America this week.

The Nanking will arrive at Woosung from Hongkong early this morning and sails in the evening. The tender with outbound passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 4 p.m., and the incoming passengers are expected to land about 10 a.m. The vessel is due in San Francisco via Yokohama and Honolulu on January 31 while the Grant is scheduled to arrive in Seattle on January 29.

The President Madison, bringing a heavy mail from the States, is docked at the China Merchants Central Wharf late Sunday afternoon and will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. The President Cleveland of the Pacific Mail is expected in Shanghai from San Francisco next Friday, and the Empress of Russia, arriving from Vancouver on Saturday. The Cleveland was due to arrive at Yokohama Sunday night, and the Russia is due there this morning.

With the European mail, the steamer Nellore of P. and O. docked at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf on Sunday and will sail for Japan ports tomorrow morning. The next from European ports is due on the Cordillere which is expected to arrive this morning, about 9 o'clock.

GERMAN WOMEN MEET

The German Women's Society, "Die Deutsche Frauenhelfe," will meet at their club rooms, 95 Weihaiwei Road Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Following a business session and tea a musical program, arranged by Frau Tina Gerocke, will be enjoyed.

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(Reuter's Service)

Lausanne, Jan. 8.—The Russian Delegation has addressed to the President of the Conference a strong Note complaining of not being invited to take part in the elaboration of the draft convention regarding the Straits, which it understands is proceeding, and renewing its request for participation.

The Delegation repudiates responsibility for the check which, it says, the labors of the Straits Commission will otherwise suffer.

Lausanne, Jan. 6.—The Turkish delegate, Rizanur Bey, created a dramatic scene at the meeting of the Minorities Sub-Commission today by angrily refusing to discuss the questions of an Armenians' National Home or relating to the Chaldeans and Bulgars. He stood up, shouted, waved his arms and charged the Allies with employing the Armenians to ruin the Turks, and then left the hall.

The enraged heads of the Allied Mission have decided to send a letter of protest to Ismet Pasha.

Lausanne, Jan. 6.—Ismet Pasha this evening replied to the Allied protest with regard to the Rizanur Bey incident. The Turks prefer to say nothing concerning the nature of the reply, desiring to regard the incident as closed.

Nevertheless there is reason to believe that the reply follows the lines and views expressed by Rizanur Bey in the course of conversation today in which he endeavored to justify his attitude.

London, Jan. 6.—Notwithstanding the Anglo-French reparations differences the Allies are co-operating closely at Lausanne. It is not believed that the Turks will derive any encouragement from the failure of the Paris Conference. It is expected that the Lausanne Conference will wind up in a fortnight.

Lausanne, Jan. 6.—At the meeting of the Capitulations Commission this afternoon Marquis Garroni asked Ismet Pasha to give the Turkish answer to the Allied proposals as promised at the last meeting.

Ismet Pasha, in the course of a long reply, practically turned down everything, refusing to accept the proposal regarding foreign judges as an infringement of Turkish sovereignty.

Constantinople, Jan. 8.—The Greek Eleventh Division yesterday entered Karagatch within the neutral zone. The French Commander protested but the Greek Commander refused to withdraw his troops. They are now on the west bank of the Taritza facing Adrianople.

Paris, Jan. 8.—Telegrams from Athens state that Allied representatives approached the Greek Government with a view to stopping certain movements of troops. The Government is reported to have replied that reorganisation of the troops in Thrace was the only measure for security.

Progress Made At Weihaiwei Parley

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 8.—With reference to the departure from Weihaiwei of the Chinese Retrocession and Mr. Giles, Reuter's correspondent at Peking learns that the British and Chinese Commissioners have up to the present been engaged on the preliminary discussions, in which satisfactory progress has been made, and the principal delegates are now on their way to Peking to consult their respective superiors before the opening of more formal negotiations.

Mr. Sowerby Speaks At Catholic Club

Mr. Arthur de C. Sowerby, naturalist and editor of The China Journal of Science and Arts, delivered a lecture on "Camouflage, from the Naturalist's Viewpoint" yesterday afternoon at the Catholic Club before the members of St. Joseph's Association.

Illustrating his talk by several specimens, Mr. Sowerby told how camouflage was effected in animals through form, outline and dazzle. He showed how birds and other animals develop protective coloring and mimic others, and explained how these and other methods were adapted during the Great War, when the word "Camouflage," was born. Miss [illegible] white presided.

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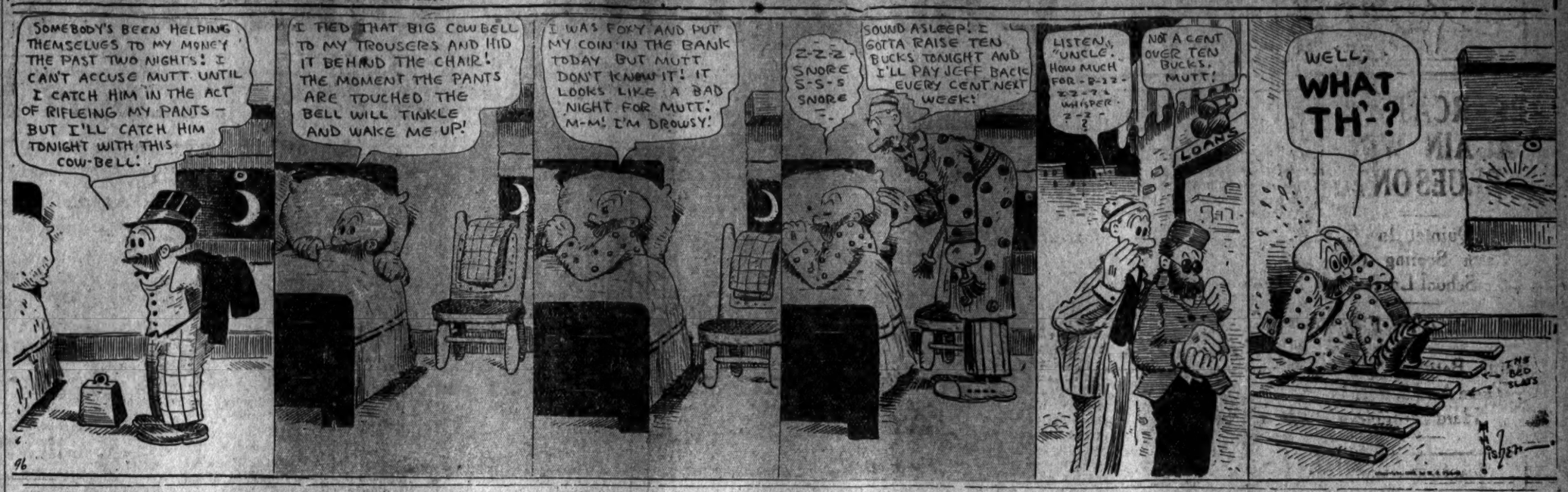

News Brevities

The engagement is announced in San Francisco of Miss Renee Abeles of Shanghai to Mr. V. E. Scott, formerly of the Asia Banking Corporation here. The marriage is to take place on May 1.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fowler and the Misses S., B., and J. Fowler were arrivals in Shanghai on the President Madison on Sunday night.

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Mr. J. A. Thomas, accompanied by his bride, arrived in Shanghai on the President Madison on Sunday. They will make their home in Shanghai.

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Mr. A. L. Young and Mr. V. S. Dawson, well known juniors in the local American community, were among passengers sailing for San Francisco on the President Taft yesterday. Mr. Young will go to his home in New York, and Mr. Dawson to his home in Texas.

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The Countess L. Starzynaka was among Shanghai passengers on the President Madison on Sunday.

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Mr. P. H. McKay, the Kobe sportsman who never misses a Shanghai race meet, returned to Kobe on the President Taft yesterday.

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Messrs. Messageries Maritimes announced that 765 bales of silk were shipped on the Andre Lebon last Friday for Lyons and ports.

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Mr. R. Ch. Guernier, Commissioner of Customs at Nanking, has just been decorated with the second class Chia Ho by Presidential mandate.

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Mr. R. W. Davis of the North China Daily News, and Mrs. Davis, formerly Miss Gretchen Fitkin, returned to Shanghai on the Korea Maru from their honeymoon spent in the South.

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Mrs. A. G. Stephen, wife of the Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, arrived on the Korea Maru from Hongkong.

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Mr. George McCarthy, General Passenger Agent for the Admiral Oriental Line, is leaving today on the President Madison for a month's visit to Hongkong, Manila and Canton.

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An extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the British Fower Shop Co., Ltd., was held yesterday afternoon at the offices of Messrs. Scott, Harding and Co. The resolution confirming the appointment of Mr. E. S. Wilkinson as liquidator was proposed by Mr. W. H. Darham, the Chairman, and seconded by Mr. H. W. Lester.

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Commissioner of Customs L. A. Lyall has issued a notification that the importation of subsidiary coins, irrespective of the year of issue, is forbidden in the future.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sutliff were passengers sailing for the United States on the President Taft yesterday.

RAPALLO TREATY

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Jan. 7.—The Italian Minister at Belgrade has officially informed M. Nintchitch, the Serbian Foreign Minister, that the Italian Government will carry out the Treaty of Rapallo in its entirety.

SENATE FIGHT

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 8.—In the Senate this afternoon Mr. Yang Yun-tai's supporters contended that Thursday's vote should be accepted as the election of Mr. Yang Yun-tai as Speaker.

Mr. Wang Chia-hsiang's followers vehemently dissented and heated aguments culminated in a free fight in which chairs were used as weapons. Finally the Senate adjourned in disorder.

NAVAL OFFICER IS KILLED IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

Lieut.-Commander Hooper, R. N. Dies From Causeway Bay Wreck Injuries

Lieut. Commander G. W. W. Hooper, R. N., O. B. E., of H. M. S. Hawkins, was killed in a motor car accident at Causeway Bay, near Hongkong on January 2. The British Naval officer and five other officers had attended the New Year's night carnival dance at the Repulse Bay Hotel and were returning to Hongkong when the steering geer got out of order and the car struck a pole. Three of the occupants were thrown from the car, Lieut.-Commander Hooper landing on his head. He died a short time later at the Royal Naval Hospital.

Lieut.-Commander Hooper was known in Shanghai, as in Hongkong, as an enthusiatic sportsman, being a particularly good cricketer and football player. He was also a keen polo player.

He was 31 years old and joined the Commander-in-Chief's staff about one year ago. He served in the war on the Furious and was joint editor of a book on the biggest naval battle of the war, at Jutland.

Funeral services were held the same day at the Protestant Cemetery, with naval honors and a large attendance from his many friends and Government and Naval officials.

MIXED COURT 'SHYSTER' GIVEN JAIL SENTENCE

A Mixed Court 'shyster' was sentenced to one month's imprisonment by the Court yesterday after Chief Inspector Wheeler had outlined his fraudulent action in obtaining $33 from a woman under false pretenses.

The woman wished to secure a warrant for the arrest of her brother for assulting her and went to the man, a fish-dealer, for advice. He advised her that it would cost $33 to bring her brother to justice and secured that amount from her.

Before the Court he admitted receiving the money and explained that $10 was for the warrant, $2 for the petition writer, and the balance for tea money for those sent to investigate the case.

Chief Inspector Wheeler pointed out that it was a dangerous practice as it might bring the court into disrepute among the Chinese and his views were impressed upon the accused when he was sentenced to jail and ordered to refund the woman $21.

PARIS HOUSING CRISIS

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Jan. 7.—M. Strauss, the Health Minister, has formed a committee to study means to remedy the housing crisis.

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Whites	2	5	.286
Stripes	1	6	.143
Public School	1	6	.143

TONIGHT'S GAME

American School vs. Stripes, 9:00, at Y.M.C.A.

LAST NIGHT'S GAMES

Bearcats	63
Whites	7
Blues	27
Public School	18

BY TOMMY GRAFTON

Last night's games in the Foreign Basketball League at the Rowing Club resulted as was generally expected, the Bearcats overwhelming the Whites, 63 to 7, and the Blues winning over the Public School five in one of the fiercest battles this season, the final score being 27 to 18.

The Bearcats had little difficulty with the Whites, Kenny Irle and Gray shooting pretty much as they pleased, and came up considerably in their record of baskets. Irle played his usual driving game, netting 13 goals, and Doc Gray was not far behind him with 10.

The Whites started off in great style, scoring most of their points early when Kline tossed in two, and the Bearcats were behind, 4 to 2. Irle, who had been playing guard, now changed to center, and with the new combination, Irle's men launched an attack which the Whites could not possibly stop. The Bearcat score mounted with lightning rapidity, and at half-time was 35 to 5.

During the second half, the Bearcats continued to press, and added 28 points to their score. Pollock and Elliott, two substitutes, came through with four and three baskets respectively. Roxburgh had poor luck in finding the basket, scoring only one, although he played an aggressive passing game.

The summary follows:

Bearcats 63		Whites 7
Gray	lf	Brown
Roxburgh	rf	Barrett
Irle	c	Kline
Hirsh	lg	Atkinson
Lewis	rg	Krisel
Elliott	c	
Pollock	f	

Goals from floor: Gray 10, Roxburgh, Irle 13, Elliott 3, Pollock 4, Kline 3. Goals from fouls: Gray, Kline. Referee: Neprud.

Timekeeper: Coulcher. Scorer: Grafton.

SCHOOL FIVE FIGHTS

The Public School team put up a tremendous fight against Neprud's Blues, and though the School five never led at any time, the score was sufficiently close throughout to keep the crowd yelling. The game was one of the roughest played in the Foreign League this year. Both teams started out to rough it, and the lighter, younger team showed its mettle and fought the Rowing Club to a standstill.

"Baby" Siemssen, the School guard, played a whirlwind game against Coulcher, holding him scoreless for the first half. At one of the crucial moments of the game, Siemssen broke through the entire Blue team with a dribble that ended with the prettiest basket of the game, and put the Public School just four points behind their opponents, but the School forwards were not equal to the occasion and missed a number of opportunities.

Coulcher was unable to cage a goal during the initial period, but in the last minutes came back strong and scored five. H. Nash played a good game at guard, holding down his man and scoring four [illegible] in the

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BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck

ROOSEVELT WINS HEAVYWEIGHT IN HUNT AT PEKING

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 7.—Mr. Kermit Roosevelt and party arrived in Peking last Friday after a hunting expedition in Manchuria.

Mr. Roosevelt took part today in the Peking Hunt, riding Mr. Roy Chapman Andrews pony, Squire. He finished second, winning the Heavyweight Cup.

Mr. Roosevelt and his party will leave for the South in about ten days, probably reaching Manila on February 2.

KERMIT Roosevelt, son of ex-President Theodore Roosevelt of the United States, who is coming to Shanghai shortly.

CHINESE RECS AND CHIN WOO IN DRAW GAME

The football game between the Chinese Recreation Club and the Chin Woo Athletic Association resulted in a draw of 1 to 1, on the Nanyang College ground Sunday afternoon before a crowd of nearly 1,000. Both goals were scored in the first half.

The first goal was scored by R. B. Zau, former Nanyang star, who was playing as right half-back, and played well in that position for the Chinese Recs. After 15 minutes of play, a corner kick was given to the Recs. Their left wing sent in a good shot which was knocked out by the Chin Woo goalie to the back line where Zau made a swift and beautiful drop-kick and netted the lone goal for his team.

After another quarter of an hour, Chin Woo scored. Their right wing, Woo, sent the ball in with a fast shot after some good passing by the forwards.

Weng, the center-forward of the Recs, missed a chance to score and win the game, when he shot the ball to the Chin Woo goal keeper's hands, after he had dribbled it up from center field, with nobody checking him near the end of the first half.

Although both teams tried hard to score in the second half each failed because of strong defense. Both forward lines were weak, due to lack of practice.

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McGregor Is Again Junior Golf Club Champion; Wins Over Hopkins By One Hole

Mr. A. M. McGregor won the championship of the Junior Golf club Sunday for the third successive time, defeating Charlie Hopkins. The final was played over the nine hole course at Hongkew park, and was for 36 holes. McGregor won the match on the thirty-sixth green by grace of Hopkins' failure to sink a putt for a 3, which would have squared the battle and sent the players into extra holes. Hopkins was three down and three to go on the thirty-third tee and proceeded to win the next two holes, thus causing great excitement in the gallery.

On the last hole they both got good drives to within short pitching distance of the green and when Hopkins laid his second fairly close to the pin the spectators got all set for an "extra inning" or two, as Hoppy is a fine putter as a rule and as he had tasted blood on the last two holes it looked like there was no stopping him.

At this critical point, however, his putter failed him, and as McGregor was on the green in two and down in two more he got a half, which was enough to win.

This championship match served to prove once more that steadiness will cop a lot of golf games. Hopkins is a strong and at times brilliant player, whereas McGregor, with a less slashing style, is generally always straight and very seldom erratic. In the first two rounds Hopkins finished two up, and as he was going good it didn't seem likely that McGregor would overtake him. On the second eighteen, however, the champion kept plugging along at his usual steady clip while Hopkins fell into one of his erratic streaks, with the result that he won but one hole of the third nine, his opponent capturing five in the meantime. Maintaining this gate he had Hopkins dormie three, at which point the runner-up put on a burst of a speed that came with inches of carrying the match into extra holes, as mentioned.

Mr. McGregor won the Junior club championship first in 1915, defeating Mr. Richards. In 1919 he was a finalist, and last year he won the championship by defeating this year's runner-up

Mr. Hopkins is a young, strong player, his links experience extending over but two years. The Hongkew course, being short, it is not exactly suited for his best play, which is with woods. At Kiangwan he has turned in several cards in the seventies and eighties and was among the eight who qualified in the recent championship. With a little more seasoning he is sure to develop into one of Shanghai's best golfers.

While the Juniors were holding their championship at Hongkew park the Hungjao elimination trials were continued, Mr. Burnie defeating Mr. Cox by 3 up and 1 to play, thus working his way into the finals. Messrs. C. T. Beath and H. Martin Little are in the other semi-final bracket.

A Holidays Pool was played at Kiangwan between December 23 and January 2, in two classes, "A" and "B." A hundred and sixteen cards were taken out in the first and 47 in the second. The results were:

"A" CLASS

H. G. Elliot (10), 3 up.
C. E. M. Thomson (8), 2 up.
E. I. M. Barrett (scr.), all square.
Dr. J. Pettit (8), all square.
J. B. Ferrier (1), 1 down.

"B" CLASS

D. F. Fairman (16), 1 up.
E. A. P. Wood (14), 1 up.

Shanghai Ladies Golf Club

The annual match, England vs Scotland and Ireland was played yesterday at Kiangwan. Scotland and Ireland winning by 7¼ points to 2.

The following were the teams and scores.

England	Points		Scotland & Ireland.	Points
Baker	0	vs	Stodart	1
Entcknap	¼	vs	Fowler	1
Lanning	0	vs	Lofting	1
Ryde	0	vs	Irwine	1
Master	¼	vs	Johnstone	1
Pearson	1¼	vs	Ferrier	0
Sleap	¼		Wright	1
Eldridge	0	vs	Fletcher	1¼
Blackburn	0	vs	Rigden	0
	2			7¼

After the match the teams tiffined together and Dr. Ivy (President of the Shanghai Golf Club) was their guest.

Mrs. C. D. Pearson, honorary secretary of the Ladies Club thanked Dr. Ivy for coming down to present their championship cup.

Dr. Ivy, in handing the Cup to Mrs. Tweedie Stodart, said he felt greatly honored at having been asked to do so. He said that Mrs. Stodart thoroughly deserved her win, as she had played such good golf, winning the championship with a score that had never been done before, viz: 89 for the 1st eighteen holes and 85 for the second, and besides this she had broken all records for the course this season. He also said what a good sport Mrs. Stodart was in everything she did.

Dr. Ivy then presented Mrs. H. Y. Irwine with the runner-up cup, and said how well she deserved it.

Mrs. Stodart, in thanking Dr. Ivy, said she felt overwhelmed with so many flattering remarks.

Mrs. Irwine, in a few amusing words, said how it was no use her pretending she could not speak, as she had been a suffragette, and spoken at many street corners and other places, but had never had a silver cup given her before, it was generally a case of having something less pleasant thrown at her. She felt it was no disgrace to have been beaten by Mrs. Stodart, but she had got the vote, and one day she meant to win the cup, but she was afraid it would be when all those present were at home or sick in bed.

Mrs. Stodart said as it was the last time they would be altogether before Mrs. C. D. Pearson's departure for home. She said she desired to wish the honorary secretary bon voyage, and to thank her for the work she had done, and hoped for her speedy return.

BOXERS HERE TO SCRAP FOR REFUGEES

Benefit Show Is Planned To Raise Funds For Russians

WANT FIGHTERS

Men Willing To Appear Are Asked To Report To Mr. Parkes

Local amateur boxers will probably stage a big two-night show soon to raise funds for the Russian refugees who came here on the fifteen vessels of the portless fleet, now at Woosung.

Any scrappers or wrestlers willing to appear are urged to get in touch with Mr. G. W. Parkes, secretary of the Shanghai Boxing Club, at the Public School for Boys.

Parkes, who is the big man in the fight game here, was approached yesterday by those who are attempting to help the Russians and the Public School boxing instructor immediately sounded the call for volunteers.

If possible, the boxing and wrestling bouts will be staged at the Town Hall.

Tilden Wins Tennis Match Despite His Loss Of A Finger

(Reuter's Service)

Chicago, Jan. 6.—William T. Tilden, in his first tennis match since his amputation, defeated Francis Hunter, 3-6, 7-5, 6-4.

Experts expressed the opinion that there is no doubt that by the summer the champion will regain his usual form.

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Review Of Shanghai Trade

BY DAVID ARAKIE
Financial Editor.

In THE CHINA PRESS issue of last Saturday we dwelt on the happenings in some of the principal markets of Shanghai during the week. The review although exhaustive had perforce to exclude others, which are now dealt here.

The redundancy of money in Hongkong has afforded investors in the Southern Colony an opportunity of investing money in Shanghai institutions. Cotton and industrial stocks have alike received attention and considerable funds have been invested, so much so that Hongkong today is the deciding factor in the establishment of cotton share prices. There is no attempt to force the pace, as the buying that is going on is slow and steady, fairly good proof that there is an entire absence, for the time being, of any rigging in the market.

A large volume of shares has also been bought by Hongkong for March settlement, and it is extremely doubtful if all these shares on forward contracts are in the possession of the sellers. The future will be worth watching, for Hongkong is likely to cause, and has the power today of doing so, a boomlet in cotton shares. It is significant that with so much money knocking about in Hongkong investors and speculators in that place should have shunned rubber shares. No inquiry comes from Hongkong for these. Presumably, they must have been bitten previously and are therefore now shy.

POOR HIDES

The quality of hides coming on the Shanghai market is described as very poor stuff. Buyers in the United States are rejecting present prices, and the worst of it is that the Chinese holders simply refuse to budge an inch from their price. Values are rising. The Japanese buyers are the only ones who are paying prices without a kick.

Shanghai has been importing more lead from Burma. Although stocks of metals in the local market are not large, dealers are not worrying about placing orders for the future, the political disturbances acting as a damper. Harbin has once again come into the local market and a fair amount of indent business on account of that port was done last week.

The Chinese boycott against Japanese goods throughout Shangtung has ceased following the settlement of the Kiaochou question, and a brisk trade between Chinese consumers and Japanese merchants has been resumed. Japanese merchants in that territory are looking forward to profitable connections this year.

With the favorable turn in the yen rate, Chinese dealers have placed further orders in Japan for refined sugar. The buying should increase with the approach of the Chinese New Year.

HONGKONG BUYING COTTON

There has been less activity in the share market since the New Year, and while a fair business was transacted prices generally were maintained at old rates. Cotton shares are firmer. The demand from Hongkong for these stocks still continues, the Southern Colony absorbing all the offerings. In fact, Hongkong has been interested in all shares on the Shanghai Stock Exchange with the exception of rubbers. With any further improvement in the yarn market higher prices might be expected for cotton shares.

The past week's transactions involved about 30,000 to 40,000 shares and debentures of various descriptions, a good portion of the business being in the nature of speculation.

Debentures are in strong demand, but holders of the Waterworks new issue are selling their Tls. 107 debentures at Tls. 105, at which price business was recorded last week. At 105 these debentures give a return of 6½ percent to investors, and anything short of that buyers are not willing to accept. What portion of the three lakh issue of the Shanghai Waterworks Company has been subscribed is a matter of speculation. Various reports are in circulation, the estimate of the takings being placed at between 25 to 30 percent.

The price of raw rubber in the London market is steady at 1s. 3d. per pound. Interest in rubber shares locally is still sustained, some being of the opinion that the prospect of further rises in the shares of estates situated in Java are assured. Some of these companies have good surpluses of working capital and if rubber keeps at the present level should constitute good "buys".

WHARF DIVIDEND

There has been a good demand for Shanghai Docks and for Shanghai and Hongkew Wharves. In these as well Hongkong investors have been operating. A bigger dividend is expected to be distributed by the Wharf Company. It is rumored that the final dividend will be a likely Tls. 12 per share, making with the three interim already paid, Tls. 15 per share. From Tls. 170, at which price these shares were dealt in last month, they now stand at Tls. 200. The Company is stated to have made larger profits. Docks are steady at Tls. 95. The final dividend of the Wharf Company should be announced in March.

HIDES HIGHER

The arrivals of cowhides, buffalo hides and goat skins into Shanghai have been falling off considerable. The Chinese dealers in the country are asking more for their cargo than Shanghai buyers are prone to offer, and consequently they are not shipping down here.

The United States is still the large purchaser of all kinds of skins. On the other hand, Japan has been buying a lot of cowhides, specially heavy hides for sole leather and have been paying much higher prices than Shanghai exporters could offer.

During last mohth some 18,000 to 20,000 pieces of cowhides were dealt in locally, for shipment to the United States and Germany principally. Of this quantity, Germany took about 20 percent. The market is quiet at $52 per picul for dry Hankow and Shantung 14 to 20 lbs. Heavier hides are quoted higher.

Dealers are asking higher prices and even expect to receive them, and in many instances refuse to part with their stock at present rates. Buyers in the United States have, therefore, found it difficult to secure supplies.

In goatskins the present price is higher than it stood last month, Szechuen goatskins commanding Tls. 150 to Tls. 152 per picul against Tls. 145 last month. Honan goat skins are at Tls. 60, against Tls. 57 and Tls. 58. It was reported yesterday that Arnold Brothers purchased some 20,000 pieces of Szechuen goatskins.

METALS STAGNANT

The iron and steel market was very quiet last week. There has been some inquiries involving small parcels.

A fair amount of business was put through with the United States, and also a large order for tinplates. There has been nothing doing in galvanised sheets.

We have been in receipt of small orders from Harbin for various products. Prices are steady and the situation is unchanged from the previous week.

Better business might result after the Chinese New Year. The political situation has a very strong bearing on the whole position. There is a prediction that this coming spring will witness another altercation between the factions. This is operating as a deterrent against fresh orders on a large scale being placed by Chinese.

The local market for tin is Tls. 68 per picul ex-godown, Shanghai. The rate is steady, but no business is reported as stocks are very small and the market is expected to go higher. The principal stocks comprise Hongkong tin. There were no arrivals of tin last week.

B. M. Lead is quoted here at Tls. 11 per picul. Some 100 tons of this were done last week. A good deal of lead is being ordered from Burma. Stocks of B. M. lead in Shanghai are about 300 tons at the present moment. No business has come to book in copper, and stocks are very scanty.

Trading in spelter is hampered by the difficulty in securing licence from the Chinese Government. There is a fair outlet for tinplates, but stocks in Shanghai are small. The rate is Tls. 6 per picul.

The New York market is cabled strong for most of the steel products. The reaffirmation of its former sheet and tinplate prices by the United States Steel Corporation has caused little surprise. For the good of the trade in American iron and steel manufactures prices should be less fluctuating. Technically, the advance in the sheet market in the United States since the beginning of last year has not been matched by an advance in tinplates, but practically there has been substantial harmony, for the open price in tinplates was being cut deeply.

British manufacturers have sold in recent weeks fair quantities of galvanised sheets to Shanghai, but they are hesitating to quote beyond February, owing to the uncertainty of spelter.

On the London Metals Exchange zinc sheets f.o.b. are quoted at £45 per ton against £43, the rate ruling previously, and wire nails at 17s. per cwt. against 18 shillings. Standard copper is standing at £64⅞ for spot and £65⅝ for future, electrolytic copper at £71¾ for spot and £72 future, tin at £182¼ spot and £183¾ future, and spelter at £36½ for spot and £34½ future.

The following are New York latest prices for some of the principal products:—

Pig iron G.$27 per ton; steel bars, steel shapes and tank plates G.$2.05 per 100 lbs; black sheets G$3.35 per 100 lbs; galvanised sheets G.$4.35 per 100 lbs.; tinplates G.$4.75 per case; zinc G.$7.05 per 100 lbs.; lead G.$7.30 per 100 lbs.; antimony G.$6.37 per 100 lbs.; pig tin 39 against G.$37.75 per 100 lbs.; and aluminium G.$22.75 per 100 lbs.

CHINESE BUY SUGAR

There has been a better demand for sugar since the resumption of business after the New Year, most probably prompted by the favorable trend of the yen exchange. During the last ten days Chinese dealers had contracted for some 50,000 bags of Japanese refined sugar.

Java sugar is still too high for the local market, the prevailing rate at Sourabaya being 13 7-16 guilders for February-March shipment and 13¾ for April. The Japanese price is yen 11.40 per picul.

Arrivals of sugar from Japan during the past fortnight amounted to only 10,000 bags. Should the exchange rate of the yen become more favorable for importation, the Chinese dealers are expected to place large orders with the Japanese hongs in Shanghai for the commodity. All the contracts concluded in recent weeks are for shipment February and March.

There is a good demand for sugar from the interior and cargo is moving to Yangtsze River ports, to Ningpo and the Wahu district. The demand will presumably grow as the Chinese New Year approaches.

Cabled advices from New York state that the Cuban raw sugar market is steady, but refiners are not inclined to enter into large committments until the demand for refined sugar improves. Business in refined sugar is confined to immediate shipments. Raw sugar centrifugal cif New York is quoted at G.$3.75.

A great deal of Java sugar appears to have been contracted by the Japanese for shipment principally to Japan. The amount is set down at about 317,500 tons including 200,500 tons of yellow crystallised and 38,500 tons of white crystallised.

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PEKING BILLS ASK TERRITORY BACK, COURT REMOVAL

Three Measures Affecting Foreign Relations Introduced

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 5.—Three important bills regarding foreign relations have been placed on today's agenda of the House of Representatives. These are as follows:

1. A bill brought forward by Mr. Lai Hsieh-yang urging the Government to take the necessary steps for the restoration of Dalny and Port Arthur to China by next March.

2. A bill brought forward by Mr. Yi Tze-chien demanding that the Government shall press for the restoration of Kwangchowwan by the French in accordance with the decision at the Washington Conference.

3. A bill introduced by Mr. Kao Yu requesting the Powers to agree to the abolition of the Mixed Court at Shanghai.

The present agitation for the return of the International Mixed Court to China is another eruption of a series of like agitations that have reappeared periodically.

The Mixed Court is conducted by the Consular Body in conjunction with the Chinese Government and the Municipal Council, the Consular Body naming the foreign Assessors who sit in all cases, and the Government naming the Chinese Magistrates.

In every case that comes before the Court both an Assessor and a Magistrate sit. The British and Americans have two Assessors, the Japanese one, and the Italian one, who sit regularly, and Assessors of other nationalities sit whenever their national interests are involved. The former Russian Assessor sits on regular days handling Russian cases as the Senior Consul's Assessor.

The Court functions under Chinese law, although, because of the foreign influence, there are a number of foreign innovations. The language of the Court is Chinese, but English is used in all cases, Court interpreters translating all the evidence.

The Mixed Court is known as the most unique and most powerful court in the world as it handles every kind of case from petty violations of the law to murder and armed robbery, which carry the death penalty under Chinese law, and there is no appeal from a decision of the Court.

All Chinese living in the International Settlement are tried in the Mixed Court for violations of the criminal law or in civil actions, as well as Russians, Germans and other foreigners not recognised by their consuls. Germans and Russians have been tried in the Court since the war deprived them of their extraterritoriality rights.

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game every minute, but showed poor form in his shooting.

The summary follows:

Blues 27		Public School 18
Krygsman	lf	Levis
Coulcher	rf	Lewis
Neprud	c	Remedios
H. Nash	lg	Brockett
E. Nash	rg	Siemssen
		Lewis

Goals from floor: Krygsman 2, Coulcher 5, Neprud 2, H. Nash 4, Levis 3, Remedios, Brockett 2, Siemssen. Referee: Kline.

Timekeeper, Campbell. Scorer: Grafton.

GAME TONIGHT

The Public School five dropped to a tie with the Stripes for last place in the league standing, when President Neprud refused to grant the Public School five a forfeit for last week's game with the Whites. Neither team was on the floor in uniform at 9:00, when the game was scheduled, and the School claimed a forfeit after appearing in uniform on the floor a half-hour later. The game will be played off on one of the open dates.

Tonight's game is between the American School and the Stripes, at the Y.M.C.A., and is scheduled for 9:00 sharp.

Obituary

ADMIRAL SHIMAMURA

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, Jan. 8.—The death is announced of Admiral Baron Hayao Shimamura, Chief of the General Naval Staff, at the age of 64.

Admiral Baron Shimamura was Chief of Staff of the Standing Squadron in the Boxer Rising of 1900 and Chief of Staff to Admiral Togo in the Russo-Japanese War. He commanded the Japanese Squadron which visted England for the coronation of King George.

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New Zealand made 313 for seven wickets, Collins hitting up 102 and Shepherd 66.

The second day's play was again favored with lovely weather and the attendance numbered some 7,000. The wicket was good.

New Zealand carried their innings to 375.

England then made 329 for seven wickets, Wilkinson contributing 59, Chapman 77 and Lowry 61.

Association Football

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Liverpool 1, Chelsea 0.

Huddersfield Town 1, Everton 0.

Oldham Athletic 0, Manchester City 3.

Tottenham Hotspur 2, Middleborough 0.

Newcastle United 1, Notts Forest 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE DIVISION

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Celtic 1, Aberdeen 2.

Falkirk 0, Ayr United 0.

Hamilton Academicals 6, Partick Thistle 1.

Hearts 2, Third Lanark 0.

Kilmarnock 2, Dundee 0.

Morton 3, Airdrieonians 1.

Raith Rovers 1, Alloa 0.

Rangers 2, Motherwell 1.

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Exclusive Dispatch to THE CHINA PRESS

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OPPOSITE French Club. Large bedroom, with private bathroom, to let. Without board. Phone W. 517, or apply to Box 352, THE CHINA PRESS. 55124 J 10

TO LET, in private family, large room, furnished or unfurnished with or without board. Has private bath with modern toilet and all modern conveniences. Apply 43, Gordon Road. 55147 J. 9.

TO LET: Large furnished room, verandah and bathroom attached. With or without board. Telephone North 176, A. M. Naer, 11 North Szechuen Road. 55134 J. 9.

FOR RENT: Nicely furnished double bedroom with bath. With or without board. Apply 29, Baikal Road. 55095 J 11

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PIANO by John Broadwood (London), owner leaving Shanghai, must sacrifice. Astor Road No. 1A, Room 7, hours 1 to 4 p.m. 55206 J. 11

FOR SALE, a speedy 23' motor boat, with Kermath 20 H. P. in splendid condition. Owner leaving. Please apply to Box 390, THE CHINA PRESS. 55205

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FOR SALE: Knabe piano, Mex. $800. 152, Dixwell Road. 55174 J. 10

THE Woman's Exchange. 61 Dixwell Road, open every Tuesday and Thursday mornings, 9 to 12. Special appointment by 'phone N. 2373. 55126 J. 11.

BRAND new radio receiving set for sale. Aerial supplied. Best offer for demonstration and trial. Apply to Box 350, THE CHINA PRESS. 55123 J 9

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SHANGHAI, TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1923

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Business and Official Notices

Customs Notification

No. 1009.

Notice is hereby given that the importation of subsidiary silver coins of the new mould issued by the Province of Kwangtung is forbidden, irrespective of the year of issue.

The inscriptions on these coins are as follows:

obverse: (貳毫銀幣) in the centre and (中華民國某年廣東省造) round the margin.

reverse: "20" in the centre, and "KWANG-TUNG PROVINCE" "TWENTY CENTS" round the margin.

L. A. LYALL,
Commissioner of Customs.

Custom House,
Shanghai, 6th January, 1923.

55186 J 9

Customs Notification.

No. 1010.

With reference to Customs Notification No. 1008 informing the public that the Revised Import Tariff of 1922 will come into force on the 17th January, 1923, I have now received the following instructions from the Inspector General of Customs:

1. All shipments to China made prior to the 17th January are to pay duty under the old Tariff.

2. By "all shipments" is to be understood "all goods placed on board ship."

3. The Customs will accept as evidence that the goods were placed on board ship prior to the 17th January the fact that the Bill of Lading is dated 16th January, or earlier, together with a certificate from the port authorities at the port where the vessel was loaded to prove that she arrived at that port prior to the 17th January, or such other documentary proof of this fact as seems sufficient to the Customs.

L. A. LYALL,
Commissioner of Customs.

Custom House,
Shanghai, 8th January, 1923.

55218 J. 10

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55212 J 12

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4 Janvier, 1923—W. J. N. DYER Candidat Etranger
4 Janvier, 1923—F. SCHWYZER Candidat Etranger
4 Janvier, 1923—H. J. SHERIDAN Candidat Etranger
6 Janvier, 1923—Dr. A. VALLET Candidat Francais.

Le Consul General de France,
A. WILDEN.

T. F. 105

ANNOUNCEMENT

Herewith I beg to announce to all of my patrons that I have taken over the "*Modern Service Station*" at 531-534 Taku Road, near the Yates Road and that I am prepared to take on any kind of general motor repair work regardless of make of cars and country they have been manufactured. All work will be carried out by skillful workmen and constantly under my personal supervision, so expert service and entire satisfaction is guaranteed. Special attention will be given the electrical equipment of all makes of cars. If your car is not running as it ought to, call at

The Modern Service Station
I. HARTZENBUSCH,
Engineer and Manager.

Announcement to Whom it Concerns

Herewith I beg to announce that I have taken over the "Modern Service Station" at 531-534 Taku Road but decline any responsibility with regards to liabilities contracted by that concern before this date.

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55199

NOTIFICATION.

Notice is hereby given that owing to the high cost of living and increase of prices of things and the difficulty of washing things for the war-ships on the war, we have passed resolution in our guild that hereafter members taking laundry from warships shall charge washing not less than five cents a piece, and steam press not less than 8 cents per suit.

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55223 J. 11

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(Signed) PHILIP W. GOLDRING.

January 7th, 1923.

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Notice of Removal

NOTICE is hereby given to the public that we have today removed to No. 139 Szechuen Road.

Our Telephone number will remain as before namely C.4759.

P. W. Goldring and Val. MacDonnell.

January 7th, 1923. 55209

"The Stock Exchange Gazette"

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55211 J 10

LOST

A Delivery Order, No. 2, marked T. calling for one barrel of salt pig Intestines, imported by S. S. Hsin-Fung from Wuhu, has been lost, while passing the same by the Foong Mow (丰茂洋行) at the Custom's office on January 6th. Besides having notified the China Merchants S. N. Co's Office and Godown to stop delivery of cargo, we hereby declare cancellation of same and warn the public against negotiation.

A similar notice also appears on the Shun Pao and Sin Wan Pao.

郭順記腸廠啓

55203 J. 11

Foochow

The San Peh Co.'s Steamer "Ning-Shin", Captain D. Brath, will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund, Nantao, on Tuesday, the 9th January, at about 8 p.m. This Steamer has extra large cabins with all the conveniences of a Steamer, with observation saloons fore and aft. Excellent service and cuisine. Passage fare, Shanghai to Foochow, single $30 and return $48. For Freight or Passage, apply to the office of the Company, 1B Hankow Road. Telephones: Freight C. 1520, Passage C. 3283.

55144 J.9

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All Bonds subscribed before noon of the 14th instant will participate in the drawing.

Over 32,200 bonds will participate.

There will be:

1	Reimbursement of over ...	$16,000.00
16	Reimbursements of	„ 2,000.00
16	Reimbursements of	„ 300.00
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Business and Official Notices

Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.

NOTICE

Consumers are recommended, during the winter months, to close at night the stopcock inside their houses, and to empty the cold water piping by opening all the cold water taps in order to minimise the danger of pipes and fittings being burst by frost with consequent damage to walls and furniture.

The Company is at all times prepared to show consumers the stopcock referred to.

The Company wishes it to be clearly understood that, in the event of any damage to the pipes and/or fittings due to frost or any other cause, the cost of repairing same will be charged to the consumer.

Under no conditions must a tap or taps be allowed to run to waste, and consumers are reminded that, under the terms and conditions of contract signed by them, the Company has power, in the event of water being so wasted, to discontinue the supply without notice.

F. B. PITCAIRN.
Engineer-in-Chief and Manager.

54070

Dollar Oriental Steamship Co., Inc.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General meeting of the stockholders will be held at the offices of the company, No. 3 Canton Road, Shanghai, on Tuesday, January 9th, 1923, at 5 o'clock when the report for the past year will be presented, and directors for the ensuing year elected.

By order of the Directors, Dollar Oriental Steamship Co., Inc.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

The Exchange Bank of China have removed their offices to

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on January 1st, 1923.

54973 J 13

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The January 6th issue of the Russian Economic Review

Contains among other interesting information:

(1) Timber concessions in the Russian Far East.
(2) Position in the Maritime Province.
(3) Vladivostok will cooperate with private capital.
(4) Previous concessions cancelled in the Russian Far East.
(5) Wholesale prices at Manchuli, Hailar, Harbin and Kalgan.

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By Order,
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55135 J 9

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Tickets can be had **through Members only**

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THE COMMITTEE.

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Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

G. H. STITT, Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	16,900,000
Capital Contributed by the Chinese Government	Kup. Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head Office:
Paris, 9 Rue Boudreau
London Office:
64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Societe Generale pour favoriser le developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Paris: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour Favoriser le Developpement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.
Milan: Credito Italiano.
Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: The Irving National Bank.
San Francisco: The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco.

BRANCHES IN ASIA

Bombay	Harbin	Shanghai
Chanchun	Hongkong	Tientsin.
Chefoo	Manchouli	Urumtchi
Dairen	Kashgar	Vladivostock
Hailar	Newchwang	Yokohama
Hankow	Peking	Kobe

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.

L. Jesierski,
Th. de Kraywossewski,
P. Petithuguenin.
Managers for Branches in Asia.

Bank of Communications.

Specially authorised by Presidential Mandates of April 7, 1914, and October 31, 1915.
Capital Dollars 15,000,000.00

Head Office: Peking.

Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centres in China.

Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokio (Japan).

Shanghai Branch: 14 The Bund

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted on approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

SHEN CHU-HSU, Manager.
T. S. WONG Sub-Manager,
T. D. WOO, „ „
S. T. HUANG „ „

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.00 will be received.

Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.

Interest at the rate of 3½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.

The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.

Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

OFFICE HOURS: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised £1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up ..£1,066,520-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. $800,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong.

OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	San Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

WONG WEN-KUANG, Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH,
41 Kiangse Road.

Telephone C. 1941.
Telegraphic Address: "Knabex"

Capital ......Yen 10,000,000

Head Office .... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.

Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T.T. Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc. etc.

Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.

Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.

Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.

Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden, Foochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

Y. KATADA, Manager.
K. F. CHANG, Sub-Manager

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves Silver $100,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de la Bale Len & Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois

Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars Sterling, U.S. Gold, Italian Lire Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.

General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.

Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Rd
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 5035.
C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers.

International Banking Corporation

Capital .... U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ........U.S. $10,453,127

Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

Head Office:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
London Office: 36 Bishopsgate, E.C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolozan.

San Francisco Office:
232 MONTGOMERY STREET.

BRANCHES:

CHINA	PHILIPPINES
Shanghai	Manila
Peking	Cebu
Tientsin	
Hankow	SPAIN
Harbin	Barcelona
Hongkong	Madrid
Canton	
	STRAITS
	Singapore
INDIA	
Bombay	DOMINICA
Calcutta	Santo Domingo
Rangoon	Sanchez
	San Francisco
	San Pedro
JAPAN	Santiago
Yokohama	Puerto Pla'a
Kobe	Barahona
	La Vega
JAVA	PANAMA
Batavia	Panama
Soerabaya	Colon

We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America, Central America and in the West Indies.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund	$2,443,700.00
Special Reserve Fund	$3,534,600.00

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio. Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG, Manager.

Kincheng Banking Corporation
金城銀行

Sanctioned by Ministry of Finance and registered in Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce in accordance with Banking and Company Laws.

Authorised Capital ...$5,000,000
Paid-up Capital $5,000,000
Reserved Fund ....$ 600,000

Head Office: Tientsin.

Branches and Sub-Branches: Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hankow, Nanking and Peng-pu.

Correspondents in all important places of the world.

President: Chow Tso Ming.
Manager, Shanghai Branch: S. Y. Tien.
Sub-Manager, Shanghai Branch: C. C. Woo.

Every description of Banking Business transacted.

Savings Accounts kept in Tientsin and Shanghai Offices.

Cable Address. "Kincheng" Shanghai.

Tel. Nos.
General Office: C. 2300
Manager's Office: C. 1350
Foreign Dept. C. 2148

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital; Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,445,211 (about £1,620,434.)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches

Bandjermasin	Pekalongen
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kobe	Soerakarta
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Weltevreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB, Agent.

東亞銀行 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10, Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital.. $ 5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund .. $200,000.00
HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.

Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.

Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.

Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG, Manager.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd

Established 1908

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$206,400.00
Undivided Profits	$120,751.00

Head Office and Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, Hankow, and Lanchi.
Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA'S principal Cities.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and fixed Deposits according to arrangements.

Saving Accounts at 4% compound interest.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

LI MING, Manager,
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 Hankow Road.
Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office.
C. 7121, 7122, 7123 and 7124, General Office,
Cable Address;
"CHINDUBANK" Shanghai.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

	Francs.
Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20)	69,500,000.00

Head Offices:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Pnom-Penh	Battambang
Haiphong	Hanoi	Tourane
Peking	Hankow	Tientsin
Hongkong	Canton	Mengtze
Singapore	Pondichery	Bangkok
Papeete	Shanghai	Noumea
	Djibouti	Yunnanfu

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN, Manager.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$ 180,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinking	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Chengteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
		Cincinnati	

Shanghai Branch:

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.
S 441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

Head Offices 9 Ningpo Road

Capital	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$420,000.00

Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted—Personal, National & International.

Branches and Agencies:
In principal cities throughout China
Foreign Correspondents:

London	New York	Yokohama
Paris	Chicago	Tokyo
Marseilles	Seattle	Osaka
Amsterdam	San Francisco	Manila
Berlin	Singapore	

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"

K. P. CHEN, General Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up $2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund $750,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.

Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka.

Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.

Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

SAVING ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM

Every description of banking business transacted.

MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

EQUITABLE
Eastern Banking Corporation

Capital .... U. S. $2,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ...... U. S. $ 800,000

HEAD OFFICE:—No 37 Wall Street, New York
Members American Bankers' Association

大通銀行

CORRESPONDENTS:
The Equitable Trust Company of New York
NEW YORK LONDON PARIS
Mercantile Trust Co., San Francisco, Cal. The Northwestern National Bank of Portland, Ore. Citizens' National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.

Shanghai Branch:
1 Kiukiang Road
Central 1164—Manager
Central 2012—General
Central 1140 (T.T. Dept.)

CURRENT AND FIXED DEPOSITS ACCEPTED
Interest rates on application
Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold

JAS. J. ROGERS, E. C. FUNCK, Managers.

工商銀行

Head Office: Hongkong. Branch Office: Hankow.

THE INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.

Shanghai Branch
51 Kiangse Road

Every description of banking transacted. Correspondents in China and abroad.

Telegraphic Address: "KONGSHAN."

Tel. Nos. C. 3204, 5816 and 6552.

CHU KINHOW, Manager.
Shanghai Branch.

New Reuter's Agent At Peking

Mr. Randall N. Neale, formerly Reuter's manager in Shanghai, has been appointed Reuter's correspondent in Paris.

Major A. E. Wearne, M.C., Reuter's correspondent and manager in Peking, proceeds shortly on leave to Australia. During his absence Mr. P. D. Evans, M.A., Reuter's correspondent in Tientsin, will fill the Peking post. Mr. W. R. Mowll, of the Shanghai staff, temporarily succeeds Mr. Evans in Tientsin.

PARIS WAR COUNCIL

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Jan. 7.—The Higher War Council for 1923 under the presidency of Marshal Petain will comprise all the Marshals and a number of General Officers, including Generals Gouraud, Mangin and Degoutte.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.

On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL, Chief Manager.

THE SHANGHAI INDUSTRIAL BANKING CORPORATION

Head Office: SHANGHAI.
Branch: 17 & 18 Kiukiang Road
Capital $1,000,000
Paid-up .... $ 250,000
Fixed Deposit Capital $ 500,000

Domestic Agencies
In principal commercial centers in China.
Foreign Correspondence
In all important places of the world.

General Banking, Business of every description transacted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangements.

Savings Accounts at 6% compound interest.

Special Saving Accounts for Laborers.

ROBERT LEE, Gen. Manager.
K. L. SUNG, Manager.
S. Y. FONG, Sub-Manager.
Cable Address: "BANKSIBCO"
Tel. C. 7207, Manager's Office.
C. 6415, Foreign Dept.
C. 6414, General Office.

Weather Report

Jan. 7.—The anticyclone is now central over Southern Nippon while a small depression has appeared over central China and follows eastward the Yangtsze Valley. Southerly winds North of the Saddles. Moderate monsoon in the South. Fine and milder weather at most stations in the Far East.

Jan. 8.—The weather overcast or cloudy before sunrise is gradually clearing up. Rather mild temperature. Steady pressure. NWly breezes.

Wedding

ALCORN-WELLS

Mr. John F. Alcorn, son of Mr. John Alcorn of Prestwick, Ayshire, and Miss Bessie A. Wells, daughter of Mr. Frederick Wells of Kingswood, Surrey, were married at the Holy Trinity Cathedral on Saturday afternoon by the Very Rev. Dean C. J. F. Symons. The civil ceremony took place at the British Consulate-General and was conducted by Mr. Sidney Barton just before the ceremony at the church. A Volunteer guard of honor was present at the church, Mr. Alcorn being a member of the Shanghai Scottish, S. V. C.

The bride, who was given away by Captain A. J. Stewart, was dressed in white satin crepe trimmed with white fur, and she wore a very handsome veil lent by Mrs. Arthur Leach of Hongkong. Miss Kathleen Peach was bridesmaid, and she appeared in crushed strawberry silk with brown and gold hat and shoes to match, while Mrs. A. J. Stewart acted as matron of honor. The best man was Mr. A. Y. Tait, and members of the Shanghai Scottish undertook the duties of ushers.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in Captain Stewart's house at the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys in Haskell Road. Thereafter Mr. and Mrs. Alcorn left for Hangchow where the honeymoon is to be spent. The bride's going-away dress was a mole cloth costume, with henna-colored hat and dark grey shoes.

Yangtze Junkmen Attack Steamers

(Independent News Service)

Ichang, Dec. 26.—Native junk men are attempting to murder or wound pilots of steamers on the upper Yangtze. They are dissatisfied with the result of their demands for more freight traffic for junks. Recently the junkmen got a concession from steamers so that they were to be given all business in cotton, salt, sugar, wood oil and paper.

It is said that these were given to the junk freighters as a result of their vociferous complaint and fight for a share of the business free from steamer competition. Now the pilots in a special circular to the junk population say:

"We have done our best to help you to get your concession recently, and to our surprise when our steamers pass by we are frequently hit by stones thrown by boatmen.

"Now we wish to tell you the last warning that unless you halt such senseless outrages our Pilots Association will then call on the local authorities to curb such lawless actions."

Financial And Commercial News

Money Exchange

Shanghai, January 8, 1923

Mexican Dollars

Market	72.475
Native Interest	12
Shanghai Gold Bars 978	
Touch	328
Copper Cash	241.500
Bar Silver	31⅛
Bar London rate	
Paris on London	66.20
New York on London	465

Banks Opening Selling Rates

London

Telegraphic Transfer	3s. 1d.
Demand	3s. 1⅛d.
New York	
Telegraphic Transfer	71½
Demand	71¾

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank

Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3/1
London (Demand)	3/1⅛
London 4 m-s	3/1¼
India (T.T.)	229½
France (T.T.)	1030
America (T.T.) 6	71½
Hongkong (T.T.)	74⅜
Japan (T.T.)	68½
Batavia (T.T.)	182½
Straits (T.T.)	76¼

BANKS BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits	3/2½
London 4 m-s Docts	3/2¾
London 6 m-s Credits	3/3
London 6 m-s Docts	
France 4 m-s	1080
America 4 m-s L/c	75
Docs	75½

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates

@ 72¾=Tls. 137.46

@ exch. 72.7=Mex. $189.08

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate

@ 3s. 1½d.=Tls. 6.40

@ exch. 72.7=Mex. $8.80

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR JANUARY

Hk. Tls. 5.80	@ 3s. 1⅛d.		£1
" 1.26	@ 71⅛	Gold	$1
" 1	@ 980½	Fr.	10.92
" 1	@ —	Marks	—
" 1	@ 69	Yen	1.61
" 1	@ 230½	Rupees	2.57
" 1	@ —	Roubles	—
" 1	@ 1.50	Mex.	$1.50
" 1	@ 13.90	Ltal. Lire	15.48

International Banking Corporation

CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America 71⅜

Demand buying on America 72¾

Demand selling on London 3s. 1d.

Demand buying on London 3s. 1½d.

GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS

Morning

327.80	328.20	328.50
327.40	328.60	328.80
326.90	328.00	329.10
327.10	327.70	329.30
327.40	328.00	
327.20	328.50	328.90
326.90	327.60	329.20
327.30	327.40	329.00
327.00	327.60	closed
327.40	327.90	
327.60	327.50	
327.10	327.80	
327.70	328.10	

Afternoon

329.20	329.30
329.40	329.70
329.20	330.10
330.00	330.70
329.30	330.50
329.50	330.40
329.80	330.30
	closed

ROUBLE EXCHANGE

BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roubles 200,000 ....Tls. 100

Roubles 100 ....Mex. $0.07

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

BANK'S SELLING RATE

It. Lire 14.00=1 Tael

Swiss Frs. 3.70=1 Tael

Marks 5000=1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations

It. Lire 91.80=1 Pound Sterling

It Lire 19.70=1 U. S. Dollar

It. Lire 136.80=100 Fr. Francs

LONDON-PARIS RATE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Jan. 7.—The Paris-London cross-rate yesterday was quoted as follows: £1—66.14.

The Small Investors' Co.

Shanghai, January 8, 1923

BUSINESS REPORTED

Almas Tls. 6.00
Ziangbes Tls. 3.90
Shanghai Pahangs Tls. 0.80
Semambus Tls. 1.00
Shanghai Malay (Ord.) Tls. 1.00
Repahs Tls. 0.67½
Java Consolidateds Tls. 11.25
Chempedaks Tls. 5.25
Chemors Tls. 0.85
Chengs Tls. 1.50
Consolidateds Tls. 1.65
Anglo-Javas Tls. 6.15
Anglo-Dutch Tls. 3.20
Amherst Tls. 0.40
Langkats Tls. 18.25
Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 13.50
Oriental Cottons Tls. 9.25
Shanghai Tugs Tls. 84.00
Culty Dairy Tls. 14.00
Telephones Tls. 74.00
New Engineering (Ord.) Tls. 8.25
Anglo-French Lands Tls. 102.00
S. & H. Wharves Tls. 200.00
Shanghai Gas Tls. 34.25
Batu Anams Tls. 0.80

Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

January 8, 1923

Spot and forward bar silver were each up ⅜d. in London on Saturday. The New York price advanced to 65⅝ cents and the London-New York cross rate declined to 464⅝. The only change in our official quotations here today was a drop in the Gold Dollar rate to 71½.

Our market in the early part of the day was firm, quite a large business being done in Sterling at 3-1⅜ for January, 3-1¼ February and 3-1 for March delivery. Gold Dollars were done at 72½ January, 72¼ February and 72 for forward delivery.

Later in the day, however, rates eased off, speculators becoming rather keen buyers.

At the close other were no sellers of Sterling at better than 3s. 1⅛d. for January, 3s. 0⅞d. February, 3s. 0⅝d. for forward delivery.

The best sellers of Gold Dollars at the close were offering 72 January, 71¾ February and 71½ for forward. There were Yen sellers at the close at 67⅞ for January and 68½ for March with buyers at ⅛ point below these rates.

In the afternoon banks were quoting 3s. 2d. and 73¾, for Sterling and Gold Dollar bills for delivery prior to Chinese New Year, and 3s. 1¾d. and 73½ respectively for subsequent deliveries.

They were quoting 1075 for Franc bills. India bought silver in London on Saturday and the market is reported as steady. There was nothing doing in the New York market.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, January 8, 1923

OFFICIAL

H. & S. Banks $1,000.00
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The Compagnie de Commerce et de Navigation d'Extreme Orient, in their report dated Saigon, December 18th, state:

Since our last report our market has shown some activity. The price of paddy has advanced, stocks remaining in the interior being rather poor. Owing to the shortage of the Home wheat crop a regulation has been issued allowing 10 percent of rice meal in wheat flour, the result being that large business for early and forward shipment has been closed with France, more especially in broken rice.

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WEATHER

Fine and cold weather. Winter monsoon all along the China coast. Rough weather on both sides of Southern Nippon.

DEATH

On December 31st, 1922, at 4 Fou Kong Lee, Rue Lafayette, Mr. Lo Cheng-yee, at the age of 65. Funeral will take place on January 11th, at 10 a.m. in the Hung Kiao Road Private Cemetery. All friends are invited to attend.

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The American Association Of China

EVERY member of the American Association of China should turn out for the annual meeting at the American Club this afternoon and participate actively in the several discussions of important matters that are on the agenda of the meeting.

The American Association, to a certain extent, represents the United States unofficially in Shanghai. It stands for things American, and works for the carrying out of American ideals, and if it, in the past, has failed to accomplish many outstanding achievements it is due to the negligence of the individual members who slough their duties, rather than to the Association itself.

At the present time relations between the United States and China are such that every effort should be made to foster increased cordiality and friendship. There are dozens of ways in which such action can be taken and the Association, pleading with Americans here to get behind it, is attempting to carry out some of the proposed plans.

The report for the last year shows that it has accomplished several notable things, particularly the assumption of the 'load' of American civilian relief. It is to be congratulated on the things accomplished—but there is still much ahead.

American Consular buildings in China are in no way up to the standard that should represent the United States abroad. The Associaton, in co-operation with the American Chamber of Commerce, is attempting to remedy the situation by a strong presentation of the actual facts at Washington. And in this it needs the backing of every American in China.

The membership during the last year shows a slight decrease. New arrivals apparently have proceeded under the assumption that they left their citizenship duties behind when they departed from American soil.

One especially interesting item in the annual report is a consideration of the amount of American news printed in China, particularly in the Chinese press. The committee discovered that very little American news appeared—and that this little was more often than not incorrectly presented. Conditions have improved during the past year to a certain extent, the investigating committee found and although no specific reason is given, THE CHINA PRESS may to a large extent, claim the credit. The Washington Conference furnished a particularly illuminating example.

THE CHINA PRESS itself has greatly extended its presentation of unbiased American news by giving its readers a splendid daily report on not only American, but world-wide events. An "Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS" means that our readers are obtaining an uncensored, intelligent presentation of important news items which, unfortunately, are not brought out to us by existing news agencies.

Americans, interested in having the United States appear in its true light, are urged to attend the meeting at the American Club this afternoon and fully consider these matters to the end that American interests and individuals in China may be the better served.

Marshal Foch plans to send 45,000 troops into the Ruhr district and draw a cordon around the Rhine. Our French is terrible but we take it "Ruhr" means "bacon."

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"The versatile Halib Edib Hanum, a woman, is the chief counsellor of Kemal Pasha," writes a journalistic correspondent from Turkey. Such journaleese, reduced to jargon understandable by the so-called human race, means that Kemal, like the rest of us, takes his orders from Mme.

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And it may also account for why Kemal always seems spoiling for a fight!

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MA JONGG SEZ:

"A woman's idea of making a fool of her husband is to let him have his own way."

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Sir Conan Doyle says that his favorite garb consists of a blue suit, purple tie, white shoes and purple socks. The spooks shouldn't have any trouble in locating Conan in the dark.

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And, speaking of how much squeeze the chief mogul at the 'lil love nest makes per month, Miss Ima Hoot Nanny says that the lonesomest thing in the world is a safety razor in a colony of 'Beavers.'

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Just the other evening we were out 'calling' on a charming daughter of Eve who kept us waiting a few minutes while she finished gilding the lily and we were all set to explode in seventeen different varieties of speech when a vision wafted itself down the staircase and in entrancing, musical tones words formed:

"I hope I haven't kept you waiting long—but then you wouldn't mind anyway because you've probably been waiting about half of your life for women."

And now, I ask you?

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"Ain't it chronic—as we say in Yangtszepoo—the damage this weather is doing to the general health and robustness of the community."—J. L. Butts.

"Shakespeare's wit is cheap, exasperating and disgusting."—Sir Arthur Quiller-Couch.

"And further when I fall at a beastly little grip cut in front of one of the best jumps I know, and we all know, that some rotter, by his unsportsmanlike behavior, has caused this grip to be dug and he in the meantime is probably trotting down on the low ground in order to save his own blasted neck—which in the interests of my fellow members of the Paper Hunt Club should dammed well be broken."—John Johnstone.

"Within the next ten years everyone crossing the ocean will do so in dirigibles."—Eddie Richenbacker.

"Let us embrace, and from this very moment vow an eternal misery together."—Thomas Otway.

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Movie stars in Los Angeles pass the intelligence tests according to Prof. Richard M. Page, psychologist of the University of Texas. Well, mebbe so, we haven't been to the movies for a long time.

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FACTS NOT WORTH KNOWING

The rabbit never knows whether, in his next reincarnation, he will be a felt hat or a sealskin coat.

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THEY WHO ARE WHAT THEY ARE

They who are what they are,
They must look with sad, large eyes
On climbers who climb to a star,
On swimmers who sink to rise;
Strong men gather the crowd
And herd it to fight their fight;
Swift men leap from the crowd,
Snatching at gold or light;
But they who are what they are
Stand passive to love or pain,
Dreaming of some high, far
Beauty, or dreaming of gain;
Watching the strong men climb,
Watching the swift men leap,
Till the gold and the dark of time
Are the cold and the dark of sleep.

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"Hard work is now regarded as unfashionable," says John D. Rockefeller. He ought to know—he's one of the fashion plates.

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As Life says a heathen is one who thinks that the Book of Numbers is the telephone directory.

Harry

-:- Hard To Please -:-

BY DOROTHY DIX
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"All men are polygamists by nature," said an old bachelor the other day. "If we told the truth every mother's son of us would have to admit that he would like to be the grand pasha of a harem containing all the fifth-seven different varieties of women.

"Now civilisation and morality, and the high cost of millinery in these degenerate days, prevent a man from indulging himself in wholesale matrimony. One wife at a time is all the law, and his pocketbook, permits him.

"And that's where the trouble comes. It's trying to fit the harem ideal to a two by four flat, and monogamy, that is, at the bottom of the divorce problem.

"For the man demands that his one wife shall be a composite of all the charms and graces of her entire sex, and possess a dozen entirely different personalities. Naturally, this is an impossibility, but when she fails to do the chameleon act, and change her color to meet his varying moods, he feels defrauded, and becomes dissatisfied with his bargain.

"The real reason why husbands tire of their wives is seldom the fault of the women. It is because the man expects to spouse the whole of womankind with one wedding ring.

"Most men are not honest enough with themselves to admit that the fly in the matrimonial ointment is their own unreasonable demands upon their wives. Suddenly they realise that their Mary Ann is distasteful to them because she smells of bread and butter, and that she bores them chattering of the nursery. Or their Asnasthia gets on their nerves with her high browed conversation. Or their Maud's bills appear to them too outrageous to be borne any longer, and their thoughts turn yearningly toward some woman who is all soul, or they long for the soothing society of some lovely moron who does not know whether reparation is the name of a new color, or a prohibition cocktail, or they begin to think how comfortable it must be to be married to a woman who doesn't think that a wife's whole duty is to spend money, and a husband's to make it for her to spend.

"It isn't that the man is really dissatisfied with his Mary Ann, or Aspasthia, or Maud. It is just a case of other mood, other women.

"That's why I have never married. I'm no matrimonial prize. I'm not good enough for one woman to say nothing of being an eligible part, for fifty-seven varieties, but such as I am, I have such a wide and catholic taste in feminity that I have never been able to decide among them.

"For instance, just take the mere matter of physical appearance. Abstractly, I admire, above all else, the tall, stately goddess who looks as if she had been born with a crown upon her head, and a scepter in her hand. If matrimony were only a grand promenade with all the world looking on, and applauding my taste in wives, how gladly would I cast myself at the feet of such a regal creature, and implore her to let me be her humble and adoring slave.

"Then I reflect that a goddess would be a terribly straining proposition to live up to, and I have a presentiment that I would get tired of being on my knees. And, anyway, I also like a jolly, little woman who is just a good armful, and whom I could pet and baby, and to whom I could play little tin god.

"So there I am, hung up between the horns of that dilemma, not able to decide whether I would rather marry the women whose beauty I admire or the woman who admires my good looks.

"Nor can I decide between the practical and the intellectual lady. I can but fancy how delightful it would be to have a wife with whom I could share my secret thoughts and dreams. I dream of how good it would be to roam through all the pleasant land of literature with a lovely Ph. D whose mind was set above the sordid affairs of every day life.

"But, alas, I am a carnal creature, wedded to the flesh pots, and I have observed that women who dwell on the higher plans have their eyes turned up to the stars, and not down on the kitchen.

"I have a horrid intuition that I wouldn't be really interested in intellectual conversation if it were served up at a dinner where the meat was overdone, and the vegetable underdone, and the table cloth wasn't on visiting terms with the laundry.

"And there I am again. I'd dearly love a wife who saw eye to eye with me on Ibsen and the Einstein theory, but on the other hand, what wife has so potent a spell with which to charm as she who can conjure with the pots and pans? So I ask myself—shall I feed my soul or my body? Shall I marry a woman who dwells in the clouds, or one whose feet are firmly planted on the ground.

"Again there is the difficulty in deciding between the helpless woman and the helpmeet. I confess I'd enjoy a wife who regarded me as an oracle, and who would no more dream of questioning my wisdom than she would that of the Almighty. But how tired I would get of living with a female idiot, with no more backbone than a jellyfish, and how I would come to resent her everlasting demands upon me! And there I am again, unable to decide whether I would rather have a wife who is a luxury, or one who is a necessity.

"No doubt women have exactly the same difficulty in deciding on different kinds of men. No doubt there are millions of women who wish they could have one husband to make money for them, and another for a companion, a steady going husband to tie to, and a frivolous one to flirt with.

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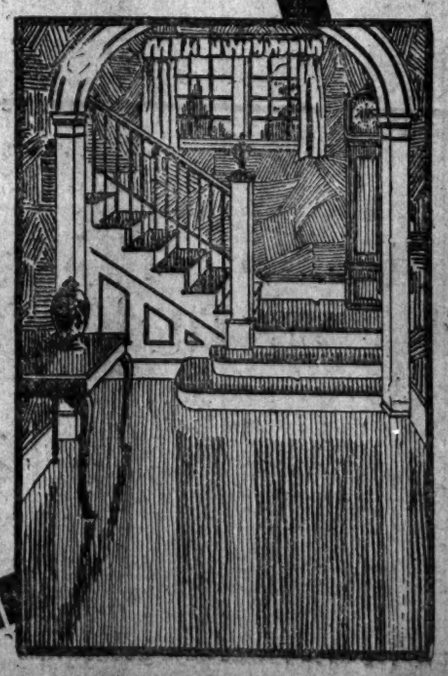

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that she is a woman will no her from success. The war ried us ahead at a terrific sp The code among men and wom in law is the survival of t fittest. A woman must compe with the finely trained minds men. I have always preached my women colleagues t importance of dress. I wor on the theory that th attention of the judge and jury should be focused, not on myself, but on the case. One can readily see that if a woman lawyer is dressed too conspicuously she will distract the attention of the court."

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August Heckscher, New York philanthropist, who has a $4,000,000 home for children—"There is good in every boy and girl the world over. Right here in New York there is so much to be done to bring out the good. We must do it only with love and kindness because the poor little unfortunates who never get any love and kindness need it so badly to develop their little souls and their little bodies. There is no philanthropy more worthy than making good men and women of the little ones in the shadow."

What Thoughts Do The Stars Give You

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS
(Eminent Astronomer and Authority on Subjects of Scientific Interest)

From some original verses kindly sent to me by Mr. Frank Delaney, of Hartford, Conn., I quote the following:

"Last night I gazed up to the stars of Heaven,
And wondered at the brilliance of their glow.
They minded me of friends long since departed
To realms of peace, far from all earthly woe.
They seemed to beckon, and to give me courage.
And upward, too, my soul they seemed to bring,
Transmitting through the firmament the message
That life is hope and hope is everything.
They told me, too, that only here in labor
Could I expect to find tranquility,
And spoke about the infinite of justice,
That range averse to all humility."

Except that the thought in the last line shines through a little obscurity, this is no doubt an explicit presentation of the reveries and surmises that the sight of the starry sky on a clear night usually awakens in the mind of the meditative beholder. It shows why the eternal beauty and majesty of the heavens are an unfailing medicine to the wearied and broken spirit.

Even the astronomer at his telescope, in the darkness, loneliness and silence that reign under the observatory dome, broken only by the solemn ticking of the clock, more often than he may be willing to acknowledge finds his mind drawn away from the micrometrical measurements to pure contemplation of the stupendous spectacle before him.

The order of the impressions generally conveyed by the sight of the stars in their glory seems to me to be very well represented in Mr. Delaney's verses. First, wonder at the brilliance of the display, so amazing in the multitudinousness of the dazzling points of light, in their immense variety of size and beauty, and in the strange, striking and significant looking groups that they form with one another, wherein their various ranks seem to be recognised and respected.

Consider, for instance, the way the smaller Pleiades array themselves around their queen, Alcyone, not one tiny sparkle being enviously withheld by the least of them, and then observe how the magnificence of Orion is enhanced by the disparity of its stars, in which the little set off the great and reflect splendor upon the little.

To those accustomed to survey the sky with telescopes, multitudes of ordered systems of great and small stars are familiar. They are like coronets and strings of selected gems and pearls.

Second, comes the recollection of departed friends, who may once have looked up with you at the heavens when life was young, and when the touch of a hand or a breath of perfume, under the starry fires, seemed burned into your memory forever. The evident fathomless vastness of the star deeps, always associated with thoughts of futurity and eternity naurally brings recollections of those who have "gone before" and this tendency is so universal and resistless that I am confident that even persons who are the most skeptical concerning a future life have at times experienced it.

In our best moods we feel that there is something in us fitted to inhabit mansions in the sky. Millions, billions, quintillions, of miles, and of "emptyness" of open space, which are insurmountable barriers to us physical creatures, are no barriers at all to the spirit which is in us.

Third, there certainly is in the intensity of the light of a star, and in its curious twinklings, an appearance of communication, of friendliness, of invitation, as if drawing the beholder toward it. The old Greek poet Aratus was strictly right when he wrote that "from all quarters heaven speaks to man." With all their sparkle and brilliance the stars have a solemn majesty that is well fitted to convey the noblest inspirations to man.

An old Indian legend makes the group of the Pleiades a company of merry children snatched up while at play to enliven the night sky by their joy and lightheartedness. And some such impression is actually made by the sparkling of these stars whose crossing light rays seem to mingle like the cries of jubilant voices at a children's party.

Yet, these same stars, in all ages of recorded history and in all countries, have exercised a deeply solemn, ethical influence upon the human mind. The Pleiades have been a kind of a celestial monitor for mankind, dimly interpreted by the priests and poets, but always inculcating the hope of a higher destiny for mankind.

For those who may be impatient of what seems to them the absurd notion that the stars can have any inspiring quality whatever, it may be instructive to reflect that the inspiration may very well originate the gazer's own mind, through its slumbering powers being awakened by the transcendent magnificence of the spectacle.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. PINGWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Pellew, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, January 16, at about midnight. For Freight apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Tel. Central 241. Extension to Freight Department.

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The C.M. s.s. Kiangan left Hankow on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

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The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

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The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Soochow left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Chekiang left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Yatshing is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow today.

The C.M. s.s. Kwangtah left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The O.S.K. s.s. Seikyo Maru, from Formosa, left Foochow on Sunday morning and is due in Shanghai about noon today. The steamer will dock at the Yangtzepoo Wharf and is to sail for Dairen on Thursday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The D.K.K. s.s. Saikio Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao yesterday and is docked at the Whangpo Wharf. The vessel will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The O.S.K. s.s. Kohoku Maru left Dairen at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon and is due in Shanghai about 8 o'clock tomorrow morning. The steamer will dock at the Yangtszepoo Wharf and is to sail for Formosa via Foochow on Friday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nikko Maru left Moji for Shanghai yesterday and is to dock at the N. Y. K. Wharf tomorrow.

INDIAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Soudan, from Bombay on December 24, is expected to leave Hongkong next Saturday and is due in Shanghai on January 16.

The B.I. s.s. Gregory Apcar arrived in Shanghai from Calcutta Sunday afternoon and will sail for same port via Kobe tomorrow morning.

The P. & O. s.s. Alipore is expected to leave Bombay for Colombo, Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai on January 26.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Morea left London on Friday, December 22, at 3 p.m. and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via the Suez on February 1.

The M.M. s.s. Angers was due to leave Marseilles on Friday, December 29 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on February 6.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashmir was due to leave London on Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Suez on February 15.

The Glen Line s.s. Glenshane, from London, left Suez on January 2 and is due in Shanghai on February 3.

The Shire Line s.s. Pembrokeshire left London on December 31 and is due in Shanghai on February 16.

The Shire Line s.s. Radnorshire, from London, was expected to leave Penang on Friday and is due in Shanghai on January 21.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Troilus, from United Kingdom, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Friday.

The P. & O. s.s. Delta, from London on December 8, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai tomorrow afternoon.

The P. & O. s.s. Nellore arrived in Shanghai from London on Sunday and is docked at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf. The vessel will sail for Japan ports tomorrow morning.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashmir left London at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon, January 5, and is due to arrive in Shanghai about February 24.

The P. & O. s.s. Khiva, from London, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Saturday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Ningchow, from United Kingdom, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Friday, January 5.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Telresias, from United Kingdom, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Sunday, January 7.

The Ben Line s.s. Benavon, from London on November 24, is expected to arrive in Shanghai on or about January 22.

The Ben Line s.s. Bengloe, from London on December 10, is expected to arrive in Shanghai on or about February 5.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere, from Marseilles on December 1 with mail, left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai about 9 o'clock this morning. The vessel will berth at the M.M. lower buoys.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor, from Marseilles on December 15 with mail, will arrive at Saigon next Thursday and is expected in Shanghai on January 22.

AMERICAN LINES

The China Mail s.s. China was due to leave San Francisco on Tuesday, January 2, and will arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu and Japan ports on January 27.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley left Seattle on Tuesday, January 2 and is expected in Shanghai via Japan ports on January 19.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Scottsburg left New York for Yokohama on December 21.

The Dollar s.s. Esther Dollar was due to sail from New York for the Orient on Friday, December 29.

The Dollar s.s. M.S. Dollar is due to leave New York for Oriental ports on January 14.

The Dollar s.s. Diana Dollar was due to leave New York for the Orient on Thursday, Jan. 4.

The Dollar s.s. Bessie Dollar was due to leave Vancouver for Oriental ports on Monday, Jan. 1.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia which sailed from Vancouver on December 28, is due at Yokohama today and arrives at Woosung on Saturday, January 13.

The O.S.K. s.s. Arabia Maru left Hongkong Friday morning and is due in Shanghai this morning. The vessel will sail for Seattle and Tacoma via Dairen and Japan ports tomorrow.

The T.K.K. s.s. Korea Maru sailed from Woosung for Japan ports, Honolulu and San Francisco late Sunday afternoon.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft left Woosung yesterday and is due in San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu on January 26.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland was expected to arrive at Yokohama from San Francisco and Honolulu Sunday night and is expected in Shanghai next Friday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson is due to leave Seattle next Sunday and will arrive in Shanghai on January 31.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison arrived in Shanghai from Seattle Sunday evening and is docked at the China Merchants' Central Wharf. The vessel will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The China Mail s.s. Nanking is due at Woosung from Hongkong early this morning and will sail for San Francisco via Yokohama and Honolulu in the evening. The tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs jetty at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and incoming passengers from the ship are expected to land about 10 a.m.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Shuntien from Tientsin: Mrs. Odgen, Messrs. Paradisses, Rykable, C. A. Watt, H. F. Bell.

Per C.N. s.s. Woosung from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Lee-Smith, Mr. C. C. Knight.

Per S.P. s.s. Ningshin from Foochow: Dr. and Mrs. Lacy, Messrs. W. F. Brewster, Cheng, Liu, Shing, Mr. and Mrs. Lem, Miss Sayer.

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo from Hankow: Mrs. Moore, Mrs. H. Fowler, Mr. F. B. C. Avasia.

Per I-C. s.s. Loongwo from Hankow: Mr. A. G. Zorn, Mrs. H. M. Gulich.

Per I-C. s.s. Suiwo from Kiukiang: Miss C. E. Merrill.

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping from Chinwangtao: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carthy and two children.

Per B.I. s.s. Gregory Apcar from Amoy: Mr. E. Ozten.

Per Glen Line s.s. Carnarvonshire from Vladivostok: Mr. J. A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Mariam.

Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo: Mr. N. Stellingworff.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Wadman, Mrs. Agapitoff, Mr. H. Maingon.

Per C.N. s.s. Luenyi from Hankow? Mrs. Zoon, Mrs. Guluck.

Per N.S. s.s. Ningshao from Hankow: Miss Dietrich.

Per T.K.K. s.s. Korea Maru from Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. F. R. I. dams, Mr. J. Aelion, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sanchez Arias, Mr. Chan Chuk-ling, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Guterres, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wahsun, Mr. Lo Fook-chon, Misses Mackintosh, E. Moron, M. McClean, Mr. W. M. Rank, Mrs. J. O. Richardson, Mr. D. O. Russell, Mrs. A. G. Stepehn; through for San Francisco: Mr. and Mrs. Chung Chu-huen, Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Gunn, Masters C. Gunn, Messrs. Lee Tai, C. A. Lesh; for Yokohama: Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Rogers.

Per P.M. s.s. President Taft from Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. O. P. M. Blom, Mr. E. W. Carr, Mrs. R. E. Dupuy, Messrs. Goo Sning, H. Hergel, L. Holt, E. W. Mason, H. H. Red man, E. Steckel, W. Timann; through for San Francisco: Mr. B. Lenoff, Mrs. H. B. Lockwood, Mr. E. A. McCreary, Miss M. Ridgway, Mrs. I. H. Robinson, Mr. Geo. Seaver.

Per P. and O. s.s. Nellore from London and ports: Mr. P. Levalle, Mr. and Mrs. P. Chambers, Mr. S. J. Barden, Miss I. Lockerbie, Mr. and Mrs. Dove and infant, Comdr. Legge, Messrs. R. Hepburn, F. Jorjensen, W. Hughes, Pentler, A. Elles, J. Rosenfield, M. Cox, G. Bulchart, Lee Kwan-poy and son, Wong Chee-ming, Mrs. F. Hayden, Miss M. Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm, Mr. and Mrs. Kibolewhite.

Per Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison from Seattle and Japan ports: Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fowler, Misses S. Fowler, B. and J. Fowler, F. Menefee, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Sommers, Countess L. Starzyanka, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thomas, Mrs. T. B. Wilcox Sr., Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Wilcox Jr., Messrs. R. s. Cauvin, S. Harate, Chas. W. Hoy, Ben Ingraham, J. A. Merechi, K. Mori, S. Tanaka; through for Manila: Mr. W. Janderson, Miss F. R. Barker, Mrs. Delweiler, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Maxwell.

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President McKinley ..Dec. 3
Hawaii Maru .....Dec. 6
President Jackson ....Dec. 17
Shidzuoka Maru .....Dec. 24
President Jefferson ...Jan. 1

FOR PORTLAND
Eastern Sailor .....Dec. 3
West Kader .....Dec. 8
Bratsberg .....Dec. 31

FOR NEW YORK
Tottori Maru .....Dec. 2
Patrick Henry .....Dec. 5
Agapenor .....Dec. 6
Margaret Dollar .....Dec. 6
City of Pittsburg ....Dec. 11
Hamburg Maru .....Dec. 17
Calchas .....Dec. 19
Cokesit .....Dec. 27
Jadden .....Jan. 6
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Gothic Prince .....Jan. 8

FOR LONDON
Karmala .....Dec. 2
Hakozaki Maru .....Dec. 5
Alcinous .....Dec. 6
Kitano Maru .....Dec. 14
Mentor .....Dec. 17
City of Pekin .....Dec. 21
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Haruna Maru .....Jan. 2
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Plassy .....Jan. 6
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FOR LIVERPOOL
Tatsuno Maru .....Dec. 7
Meriones .....Dec. 13
Neleus .....Dec. 24
Oanfa .....Dec. 25

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Malaya .....Dec. 10
Panama .....Jan. 4

FOR HAMBURG
Lisbon Maru .....Dec. 8
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Shunko Maru .....Dec. 13
Atlas Maru .....Jan. 5

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Kaho, *Amoy* .....Jan. 9
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Kingteen, *Ningpo* .....Jan. 9
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Kiangfoo, *Hankow* .....Jan. 12
Kianghsin, *Hankow* .....Jan. 13
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Kiangyu, *Hankow* .....Jan. 11
Kiangshun, *Hankow* .....Jan. 10
Kiangyung, *Hankow* .....Jan. 15
Kohoku Maru, *Dairen* ....Jan. 10
Kungwo, *Hankow* .....Jan. 12
Kwangtah, *Hongkong* .....Jan. 10
Luenho, *Hankow* .....Jan. 10
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Nanking, *Hongkong* .....Jan. 9
Ngankin, *Hankow* .....Jan. 13
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Ningchow, *Liverpool* .....Jan. 15
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Pres. Grant, *Hongkong* ..Jan. 12
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Shengking, *Hankow* .....Jan. 14
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Tuckwo, *Hankow* .....Jan. 13
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Whangpu, *Hankow* .....Jan. 15
Wuchang, *Hankow* .....Jan. 12
Yatsiling, *Hongkong* .....Jan. 9
Yusang, *Tientsin* .....Jan. 10
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ANGERS	29th December	6th February	3rd March
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DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	2.30 p.m.	Nanking	S. Francisco	Jan. 31
Jan. 10	noon	Arabia M.	(specially marked)	
Jan. 13	10 a.m.	P. Grant	Seattle	Jan. 29

TO STRAITS, INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	noon	Schlesien	Germany	(parcels)
Jan. 12	6 p.m.	Kamo Maru	London	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok & Siberia	Today	5 p.m.	via P'kow, H'bi
Tsingtao	Today	1.30 p.m.	Liangchow
Tsingtao and Dalny	Today	9 p.m.	Saikio Maru
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	1.30 p.m.	Shuntien
Tsingtao	Today	9 p.m.	Tausang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Jan. 10	9 p.m.	Yusang
Dairen	Jan. 10	9 p.m.	Paoting
Tsingtao	Jan. 12	9 p.m.	Fooshing

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Wenchow	Today	9 p.m.	Hsinfung
Amoy & Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Kaho
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Today	9 p.m.	Kwongsang
Hongkong & Canton	Today	1 p.m.	P. Madison
Foochow	Today	4.30 p.m.	Ningshin
Foochow	Today	9 p.m.	Haean
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Today	9 p.m.	Chengtu
Amoy, Hkong, C'ton	Jan. 10	9 p.m.	Suiyang
Amoy	Jan. 11	9 p.m.	Pakhoi
Hongkong & Canton	Jan. 13	9 p.m.	Luchow
Hongkong & Canton	Jan. 13	9.30 a.m.	P. Cleveland
S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Jan. 13	7.30 a.m.	Sinkiang

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
River ports	Today	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	7 p.m.	Yawata Maru
Manila	Today	1 p.m.	P. Madison
Japan ports	Jan. 10	7 p.m.	Omi Maru
Japan ports	Jan. 12	7 p.m.	Nikko Maru
Manila	Jan. 13	2.30 p.m.	E. of Russia
Manila	Jan. 13	9.30 a.m.	P. Cleveland

Meteorological Reports

January 9, 1923.	SICCAWEI 16.00	21.00	4.00	9.00
Sun rises today at 7.10	(120 EGC)		(120 EGC)	
Sun sets today at 17.10	Jan. 3.		Jan. 4.	
(inches	30.55	30.60	30.59	30.64
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	−0.16	−0.14	−0.09	−0.05
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	−0.13	−0.09	+0.04	+0.04
Wind—direction	NNW	NNW	NNW	NNW
Wind—miles per hour	8.1	4.3	7.5	5.6
Temperature (Fahr.)	29°8	20°3	18°7	28°9
Humidity %	27	46	69	50
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	0	0	0	0
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	—	—	—	—

January 3. SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT	Mean, 1922	Variation	24 hrs. Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	30.63	−0.12	30.38
Temperature (Min. 27°2) (Fahr.) (Max. 55°6)	25.5	−3°4	37°0
Rainfall (inches)	0.00	0.00	0.10

Steamers Arrived

Jan. 6—Kwongsang from T'tao
Jan. 7—H. N'shao from Ningpo
Jan. 7—H. Peking from Ningpo
Jan. 7—Pingyang from Dairen
Jan. 7—Pres. Taft from Manila
Jan. 7-Carnarovnshire from V'tok
Jan. 7—Yekishin M. from T'tao
Jan. 7—Pres. Madison from S'tle
Jan. 7—Korea M. from H'kong
Jan. 7—wanzan M. from .....
Jan. 7—Lorestan from V'tok
Jan. 7—Banyei M. 6 from Japan
Jan. 7—Nellore from London
Jan. 7—Tuckwo from Hankow
Jan. 7—Loongwo from Hankow
Jan. 7—Changsha from Hankow
Jan. 7—Ningshao from Hankow
Jan. 7-Siangyang M. from H'kow
Jan. 7—Chengtu from Tientsin
Jan. 7—Hangchow from H'kong
Jan. 7—Sancho M. from Dairen
Jan. 7—Shuntien from Tientsin
Jan. 7—Atsuta M. from London
Jan. 7—Feiching from Wenchow
Jan. 7—Oldekerk from H'kong
Jan. 7—Tungwah from Chefoo
Jan. 7—Taishun from H'kong
Jan. 7—Likin from Cruise
Jan. 7—Hwahyih from C'tao
Jan. 7—Argun M. from Europe
Jan. 7—Kikin from Cruise
Jan. 7—Chihli from Dairen
Jan. 7—Gregory Apcar from Calcutta
Jan. 8—Juno from Singapore
Jan. 8—Ibukisan M. from Japan
Jan. 8—Yingchow from T'tao
Jan. 8-C. of Dunkirk from H'kong
Jan. 8—Huaming from Dairen
Jan. 8—Omi M. from Japan
Jan. 8—Ningshin from Foochow
Jan. 8—Woosung from Hankow
Jan. 8—Sujwo from Hankow
Jan. 8—Hsinfung from Hankow
Jan. 8—Talee M. from H'kow
Jan. 8—Yawata M. from Japan
Jan. 8—Saikio M. from Dairen
Jan. 8—Eipenor from Dairen
Jan. 8—Kaiping from C'tao
Jan. 8—Arrow from S. F'cisco
Jan. 8—Haru M. from C'tao
Jan. 7—Hunan for Wuhu
Jan. 7—Luchow for Pukow
Jan. 7—Hwahting for Chin'tao
Jan. 7—Kwanto M. for Wuhu
Jan. 7—Taisho M. for Wuhu
Jan. 7—Meinan for Wenchow
Jan. 7—Hupeh for S. H. Canton
Jan. 7—Szechuen for H. Canton
Jan. 7—Yuanta for Chinwangtao
Jan. 7—Sapporo M. 2 for Dairen
Jan. 7—Daiju M. for Dairen
Jan. 7—Korea M. for S. F'cisco
Jan. 8—Kiangyung for Hankow
Jan. 8—Tencho M. for Tsingtao
Jan. 8—Gothic Prince for N. York
Jan. 8—Kian for Hankow
Jan. 8—Argun M. for D. Japan
Jan. 8—President Taft for J. H. San Francisco.
Jan. 8—Tonglee for Dairen
Jan. 8—Weishun for N. Customs
Jan. 8—H. Peking for Ningpo
Jan. 8—H. N'shao for Ningpo

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Sinkiang for Tsingtao: Master G. Forrestier.

Per C.N. s.s. Whangpu for Hankow: Mr. Richter.

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Steamers Departed

Jan. 7—Pingwo for Hankow
Jan. 7—Changon for Hankow
Jan. 7—Whangpu for Hankow
Jan. 7—Tachang M. for Hankow
Jan. 7—Menyei M. 3 for Tsingtao
Jan. 7—Wingsang for S. H. C'ton
Jan. 7—Isshin M. for Tsingtao
Jan. 7—Meifoo for Hankow
Jan. 7—Chohei M. for T. Dairen
Jan. 7—Glenlifer for Europe
Jan. 7—Shenglee for Dairen
Jan. 7—Toyora M. for Wuhu

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Jan. 9	4.00	San Francisco	†Nanking	Am. China Mail
Jan. 10	—	New York	Bowes Castle	Br. [illegible]
Jan. 10	—	Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Jan. 10	—	New York via Suez	Machaon	Br. B. & S
Jan. 13	—	Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 16	—	Portland	W. O'Orowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Jan. 17	—	New York via P'ma	Durban Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 18	—	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Jan. 20	—	Seattle	Yokohama Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
Jan. 20	—	Singapore, etc.	Bearport	Am. S. & B.
Jan. 20	—	Vancouver	Can. Inventor	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 20	—	New York via Suez	C. of Dunkirk	Br. J. M. & Co.
Jan. 24	—	New York via Suez	Robert Dollar	Am. Dollar Co.
Jan. 25	—	San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 25	—	Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 26	—	New York via P'ma	Dryden	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 27	—	Portland	Hannawa	Nor. Lumber Co.
Jan. 27	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Jan. 29	—	New York	Alaska Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Jan. 29	—	San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Jan. 30	—	New York via Suez	Ningchow	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 30	—	Portland	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Feb. 3	—	San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 6	—	Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 9	—	San Francisco	†China	Am. China Mail
Feb. 12	—	Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C.P.S.
Feb. 15	—	San Francisco	†Taiyo Maru	Jan. T.K.K.
Feb. 17	—	San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 18	—	Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 24	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C. P. S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Jan. 10	—	M. Kobe, Y'hama	Nelloro	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 10	—	Kobe	G. Apcar	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 10	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
Jan. 11	—	N'saki, N. Y'hama	Omi Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
Jan. 11	—	Kobe	Tsushima	Jan. N. Y. K.
Jan. 13	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
Jan. 16	—	N'saki, N. Y'hama	Chikugo M.	Jan. N. Y. K.
Jan. 17	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Hakuai Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
Jan. 20	—	M. Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Jan. 10	—	Calcutta	G. Apcar	Br. M. M. & Co.
Jan. 10	—	Kobe, Yokohama	Theseus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 12	—	Antwerp, etc.	Com. Dorise	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 12	—	Hamburg, etc.	Mito Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 12	—	Hamburg, etc.	Carnarvonshire	Br. G.L.E.A.
Jan. 13	—	London, etc.	Kamo Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Jan. 14	—	Singapore	Harold Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Jan. 15	—	Liverpool, etc.	Keemun	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 17	—	Hamburg	Eipenor	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 26	—	Singapore, etc.	Stuart Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Jan. 20	—	Bombay	†Soudan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 20	—	Singapore, etc.	Bearport	Am. S. & B.
Jan. 20	—	London	†Sardinia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 24	—	Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 24	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Roepat	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Jan. 24	—	Hamburg, etc.	Diomed	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 25	—	Hamburg	E. Kirdorf	Ger. H. S. Line
Jan. 27	—	Liverpool, etc.	Cyclops	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 27	—	London	Katori Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Feb. 3	—	Marseilles	‡Cordillere	Fr. M. M. Cie
Feb. 3	—	London	†Nellore	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 3	—	Hamburg,	Weser	Ger. Mel. & Co.
Feb. 7	—	Antwerp, ect.	Teiresias	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 8	—	London, etc.	Rhesus	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 12	—	Bombay	†Sicilia	Br. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 14	—	Hamburg, etc.	Troilus	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 15	—	Liverpool, etc.	Titan	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 17	—	Marseilles	‡Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Feb. 17	—	London	†Khiva	Br. M. M. & Co
Feb. 21	—	Hamburg, etc.	Laomedon	Br. B & S
Feb. 23	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Schiedyke	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Feb. 25	—	Liverpool, etc.	Peleus	Br. B. & S.
Mar. 3	—	London, etc.	†Morea	Br. M. M. & Co
Mar. 3	—	Marseilles	†Angers	Fr. M.M. Cie.
Mar. 17	—	Marseilles	†A. le Rideau	Fr. M. M. Cie
Mar. 31	—	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M. M. Cie

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Jan. 10	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
Jan. 10	4.45	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 9	8.00	Foochow	Ningshin	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Jan. 9	D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Yingchow	Br. B & S
Jan. 9	2.30	Hongkong, Manila	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 9	5.30	Ningpo	Vungshin	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
Jan. 9	5.30	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 10	D.L.	S. H'keng, C'ton	Kwongsang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Jan. 10	—	Foochow	Haean	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Pan. 10	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 10	—	Amoy, Swatow	Kaho	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 10	—	Wenchow	Hsinfung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 10	D.L.	Swatow, Hongkong	Chengtu	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 11	D.L.	A. H'kong, C'ton	Suiyang	Br. B & S
Jan. 11	—	Keelung, etc.	Kohoku M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Jan. 12	8.00*	Amoy	Pakhoi	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 13	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Jan. 13	9.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Sinkiang	Br. B & S
Jan. 14	9.00*	Hongkong, Canton	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 14	—	Hongkong	Harold Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Jan. 15	—	Hongkong	Siberia Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Jan. 16	10.00*	S. H'keng, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 26	—	Hongkong	Stuart Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Jan. 18	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 21	—	Hongkong	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 21	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 27	—	Hongkong, Manila	Hannawa	Nor. Lumber Co.
Jan. 27	—	Hongkong	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Jan. 28	—	Hongkong	China	Am. China Mail
Jan. 30	—	Hongkong, Manila	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Feb. 1	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 2	—	Hongkong	Africa Maru	Jan. O.S.K.
Feb. 2	—	Hongkong, Manila	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 5	—	Hongkong	E. of Australi	Br. C.P.S.
Feb. 14	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 15	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Jan. 9	3.00	Tsingtao	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 9	—	Chefoo, Dairen	Hsinkong	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 9	3.00	W. C'foo, Tongku	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 10	6.00*	Tsingtao, Dalny	Saikio Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Jan. 11	—	Dairen	Seikyo Maru	Jan. O. S. K.
Jan 11	—	Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K M. A.
Jan. 11	D.L.	Dairen	Paoting	Br. B. & S.
Jan 13	8.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Jan. 13	9.00*	Tsingtao	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 13	9.30*	Vladivostok	Lorestan	Br. L. V. Lang
Jan. 16	—	Taku, Dairen	W. O'Orowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Jan 17	9.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jan. D. K. K.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Jan. 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Jan. 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changsha	Br. B. & S
Jan. 9	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Jan. 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Sujwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Jan. 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B & S
Jan. 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Jan. 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B & S
Jan. 14	9.00*	Pukow	Newchwang	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 14	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 15	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Jan. 15	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 15	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Pingwo	Br. J. M. & Co.

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At about 11:30 a.m.
Leghorn fowls (1 Cock and 7 hens).
ON VIEW MONDAY

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12 Bales Hemp Yarn, 3 Howe Scales, 1 Fairbanks Scale, 36 Cases Corn Flour, 5 Cases "Falco's" Pate Menage (Goose Liver Preparation), 1 Case Perfume, Analyzing Set, Planet Jr. Double Wheel Hoes, Lotz Hand Grinders, Combination Power and Hand Grinders, Enamelled Tea Kettles, Steel Wire, Umbrellas, Wooden Boxes, Oil Paper, White Paper, Tobacco, Rubber Hot Water Bags, Tiles, Knives, Hat Clippers, Collars, Silk Enamelled and Glass Shades, Jars, Shaving Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Horse Hair, Varnish, Horse Clippers, Wood Commode Seats, Silk and Inv. Mantles, Burners, Globes, Copper Geysers, Porcelain Law Down Tanks, Iron Hoops, Chisles, Files, Pincers, Frying Pans, Dyes, Brass Bells, Cloth, Lavatory Basins (Damaged), Porcelain Cisterns, Glass Bottles, Goss Cylinder Bulbs, Silver wine (damaged), Emery Cloth, Leather Belting, Soap Powder, Magnetic Needles and Sundries. 10 Piculs Soda Ash (Damaged), Fleecy Scarves
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DRAWING ROOM.—Grey Axminster Carpet, Clock by Boyes Bassett & Co., Brass fender Brass coal box, Bevelled Mantel Mirror, French Porcelain vases Carved Curio cabinet with plate glass shelves, Chinese Porcelains, Glass top Oval & round teapoys Glass top Centre table, Cut glass vases, Carved gilt Electric floor lamp, 3-fold Screen, Jardiniere stands, Poplin Curtains, Fancy Electric table lamp, Double spring settee and arm chairs, Piano stool, Art brass electric wall brackets. 1 White Marble Double Figure Statue, &c.

DINING ROOM.—Blue Axminster Carpet, Gilt framed bevelled mirror, Clock, Brass electric bracket lights, Leather covered double spring arm chairs, Leather covered settee, Brass top teapoys, Tapestry curtains, Mahogany stained bevelled mirror back Sideboard, Dinner Wagon, Telescopic Dining Table, Leather seated dining Chairs, Vases, White Marble Statue. Good E. P. Ware, Sterling silver Teapot and bowl, Royal Worcester Dinner set, Cutlery Crockery & Glass ware, Very fine Cut Glass ware Cake dishes, Salad bowl, Decanters, Liqueur Jugs, Sweet dishes, Nut dishes, sandwich dishes, Pickle bottles, Water pitcher. Fruit dishes, & 1 Extra large flower vase &c.

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STAIRS & LANDING.—Heavy Axminster stairs Carpet, Brass stair rods, Salamandre stove, Linen cupboard &c.

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Rain Holds Off Despite Prayers

(Independent News Service)

Hankow, Jan. 3.—The "God of Rain" sits still in spite of the clamoring prayers being offered by the Chinese population in these cities. Practically all temples and benevolent guilds are conducting special prayer sessions for rain to relieve the long and disastrous dry spell. But contrary to the expectations of devotees of Buddhism, not only has no rain fallen but each day ends with a glowing sunset.

The butchers are blamed for having killed too many pigs, which may have aroused the wrath of the "God of Rain," and consequently their trade has been placed under ban by Tuchun Hsiao Yao-nan for a few days. Butchers were told to have some holidays, and Chinese were obliged to go without meat for a few days. Still the drought is unbroken.

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Vocational Schools Increase In U. S.

(China Press Service)

Washington, Jan. 3.—An enrollment of 475,828 pupils in the 4,945 vocational schools receiving federal funds and operating under approved state plans for the fiscal year of 1922, compared with 324,247 a year ago, will be shown in the annual report of the Federal Board for Vocational Education, it is announced by Harry L. Fidler, vice-chairman. The number of schools compares with 3,877 reported at the end of the 1921 year.

"Teachers in these schools numbered 12,260, compared with 10,066 reported last year," says the report. "The fiscal year 1921-22 witnessed the greatest expansion in the State and Federal vocational education program of any year since the constitution of the Board."

Special effort was made during the past year in development of the part-time school. Accordingly, of the total enrollment, 228,655 pupils are in attendance at part-time schools, 132,835 at evening schools and 113,338 at all-day schools, states the report. Classified by subjects, 130,973 are reported as studying in trade and industrial schools; 60,236 in agricultural schools; 118,708 in home economics schools, and 165,911 in attendance at general part-time continuation schools.

"Allotments available to the states last year totalled $4,120,833.72 and for the current year, ending June 30, 1923, the allotments will total $4,615,159.82," the report declares. "The states and local authorities spend more for vocational education than the amount of the federal grant, making the total amount expended last year $14,770,142.65, of which $3,854,570.25 constituted Federal funds. Of the balance, $4,514,148.04 was provided by the states, and $6,401,424.85 was provided by the local boards."

The report will recommend to Congress additional support to enable the Board to extend the work in the fields of Home Economics and Commercial Education.

Elks Lodge Has 812,657 Members

(China Press Service)

Chicago, Jan. 6.—Elkdom numbers 1,455 lodges with a total membership of 812,657, according to the report of the secretary of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks made public here, and shows the assets of subordinate lodges to be in excess of $58,000,000. Last year the local lodges spent more than $2,000,000 for charity.

A net gain of 44,996 members for the year has been recorded, and thirty-four new lodges instituted. Nebraska was the only state to register a decrease in membership. In 1878 the order showed a membership of 820 and in 1921 a membership of 767,661.

Baden Powell Boy Scouts Association

ORDERS

Forms "D." and "E."—Those Scoutmasters who have not already completed registration forms "D" and "E" are requested to apply for them to the Hon. Association Secretary, Dist. Cubmaster H. G. Whitcher, 115 Dixwell Road, Telephone North 3254, immediately as the International Commissioner at London Headquarters has particularly requested us to forward this information to London before the end of 1922.

Band Practices.—The next band practice will be held on Tuesday, January 9, as usual and each Tuesday following unless otherwise ordered.

Officers' Dinner.—The quarterly Officers' dinner will take place at the Taikoo Mess on Friday, January 12, at 7:15 p.m. A meeting will follow after dinner. Details of the business to be discussed will be circulated to Scoutmasters by the Hon. Local Secretary.

F. C. Millington,
District Commissioner.

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Australian Labor Asks Retention Of Profiteering Law

(China Press Service)

Sydney, N. S. W. Jan. 5.—Labor supporters in New South Wales are complaining against the expressed intention of the government to repeal the Profiteering act, a measure of the late Labor government which was intended to save workers from unduly high prices.

The complaints contend that the repeal of the act would leave the workers at the mercy of profiteers.

The Nationalist government, however, proposes to go even further than its predecessors in this matter, it has been announced, and, while the Profiteering act will be repealed, it will introduce legislation of a kind previously unknown in New South Wales, for the repression of harmful monopolies and restraints of trade.

The new bill provides that any person is guilty of an offense if he monopolises or attempts to monopolise the production or manufacture, trade or commerce in any commodity or article of commerce or the supply of any services. Every contract made in contravention of this provision would be declared illegal and void. A penalty of 500 pounds is provided for a first offense and a second offence would be liable to a fine of 500 pounds or a year's imprisonment. Provision is made also for a Supreme court injunction to prevent a harmful monopoly or "arrangement" from continuing, a fine of 500 pounds being provided for each day that the offence continues. Persons injured by a mononoly or trade arrangement may recover damages.

Peking Notes

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 6.—General Chang Shou-tseng, Admiral Li Ting-hsin, Mr. Li Kun-yuan and Mr. Peng Yun-yi and also the Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, attended the Cabinet today. The meeting resolved as the first principle to make every effort to encourage Parliament to complete the Constitution as the best means of effecting reunification.

Peking, Jan. 6.—A foreign official dispatch from Vladivostok says that the Reds have assured traders and merchants that they can carry on as prior to Red occupation. The Reds promise that there will be no requisition of goods. They also promise not to alter the tariff of loading charges and to allow icebreakers to work as usual for the same charges. Since the dispatch was written, however, the Reds have taken over Egersheld Harbor and this may alter the condition of export.

Peking, Jan. 6.—The Vice-Minister of Education, Mr. Lao Chih-chang, has recommended and President Li Yuan-hung has approved the reinstatement of the students whom Mr. Kao Eng-hung dismissed after the strike. The students in question have already resumed work.

Six Below Zero In Japanese Capital

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Jan. 5.—In the North-eastern districts of Japan there has been a heavy snowful for the past few days and in consequence the trains between Yonezawa and Fukushima are snowbound. The snow in the district between Nagazawa and Shinjo stations on the Tohoku line is more than 10 feet deep. In Wakamatsu City, Fukushima prefecture, waterways were blocked by snow-drifts with the consequence that some 5,000 houses were submerged. The temperature in Tokio this morning stands at 6.6 degrees below zero, which is the severest cold Tokio has had for the last six years.

TARIFF IN FORCE JAN. 17

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, Jan. 5.—The Chinese Government has today officially notified the Diplomatic Corps that the revised Chinese new tariff will be carried into effect as from the 17th instant.

Tokio, Jan. 5.—The Foreign Office here today announces that the Chinese new tariff will be put in force as from January 17 and that to those goods shipped up to January 17 the new tariff will not be applied.

1921 REGULATIONS VOID

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Jan. 7.—The Ministry of Education announces that as the regulations for the committee to control educational funds have now been settled the former regulations issued by the Ministry in 1921 with regard to the Bureau controlling state-owned properties for educational purposes will be declared void.

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